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COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO., SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1903—TEN PAGES. PRICE FIVE CENTS

THE RESULTS OF MOYER'S CONFERENCE WITH VICTOR COMMITTEE

[illegible] Clock This Morning Meeting [illegible]

[illegible] Results Are Being Awaited by the Strikers

Victor [illegible] Men Take Part [illegible]

[illegible] Are Drawn

At 2 o'clock this morning, after a night spent in conference, a further [illegible] to see if the strike was ended [illegible] Victor.

The committee consisted of [illegible] Nelson [illegible], J. B. Cunningham, Thomas Corcoran, J. R. Gardner, A. H. Hoffer and H. C. Moore. The committee accompanied by President John Harper and Secretary Dan Griffin of the Victor union, and President H. Easterly of the Altman union, arrived in Colorado Springs last evening at 9 o'clock, [illegible] making their arrival known to the advisory board, the committee went to Colorado City, where they met with President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners, Member Copley of the executive committee, and Representative Burr at strike headquarters. The Cripple Creek union officials were also present.

The meeting was in session for an hour and was interesting in its nature. The committee stated that they were willing to get all the strikers at work and that [illegible] for 100 men or more could easily be found. The men would be guaranteed work by next Monday. This was proposed if the federation would agree to end the strike. The committee stated the men would be put to work and kept employed pending the time they could be [illegible] at the Standard mill by the United States Reduction and Refining company.

Will Take Time Yet.

President Moyer replied he wanted a positive time limit for the reemployment of those [illegible] and [illegible] as 30 days.

[illegible] requested the [illegible] to obtain from General Manager MacNeill of the United States Reduction and Refining company a written statement in regard to the time clause. President Moyer rejected the proposition coming from the Victor committee stating that he could not accept it, principally for the reason that it would work a hardship on the union men in forcing them to leave their work, many of them having been [illegible] property.

"We want the time clause for the reemployment of our men," said President Moyer. "That and nothing else will satisfy the federation."

The committee stated to President Moyer they would immediately see Mr. MacNeill and others of the United States Reduction and Refining company, saying before them the proposition as reported to the federation officials.

The committee drove to Colorado Springs, and at 11 15 o'clock met in the offices of the United States Reduction and Refining company Messrs. Tutt, Pearson, MacNeill and Attorney Babbitt of the company. Mr. MacNeill arrived on the 10 30 o'clock train from Denver.

Cornish Was Spokesman.

Thomas Cornish, manager of the Stratton's Independence, was selected as spokesman for the committee.

"Mr. MacNeill," he said, "we have come to see if we can't do something to settle the strike. We desire to get [illegible] a written statement to take back to the federation in regard to their proposition that the men be taken back at work within a certain period. We want here to arrange, if this clause cannot be agreed upon."

Mr. MacNeill replied: "It is absolutely impossible for us to set any time when the men now out can be taken back. We can't tell when our employes will resign, or when vacancies will occur, and we positively will not discharge anyone who has filled by us so long as his work is satisfactory."

After a general discussion, in a further conference Mr. Cornish and the committee returned to Colorado City to go into conference with A. [illegible] Mr. [illegible]. While no definite [illegible] was reached at the meeting with the reduction company many expected that it would be hoped by all present that a settlement would be reached. The committee was driven to Colorado City after 1 o'clock this morning. The federation officials were awaiting the outcome of the conference in Colorado Springs.

Two Owners Visit.

Earlier in the evening a meeting of the Mine Owners Association was held in the Portland offices in the Bank block. Present were Frank G. Peck, secretary, William Lennox, E. W. Giddings, E. M. De La Vergne, E. R. Stark, E. A. Colburn and C. C. Hamlin. Plans looking to action to be taken by the association in regard to the strike were discussed. Nothing was stated by those present as to their nature.

President Moyer earlier in the day returned a definite answer to the proposition as outlined in the Gazette yesterday morning. This proposition, coming from the management of the United States Reduction and Refining company, is as follows:

Mill Owners' Proposition.

First—That eight hours shall constitute a day's work in and around the mills, with the exception of the sampling department, which may extend to 10 hours per day.

Second—That in the employment of men by this company there shall be no discrimination between union and non-union labor and that no person shall be discharged because of his membership in any labor organization.

Third—Men who have left the company's service on account of the recent strike to be taken back without discrimination as vacancies occur in the working force.

Fourth—The company will at any time meet its employes or a committee representing them to consider any grievances which its employes may have.

The proposition is identical with that issued by the Western Federation of Miners with the exception of the third clause. President Moyer has drawn the clause to read:

The Difference.

Third—Men who have been discharged and those who have left the company's service on account of the recent strike to be taken back without discrimination within 30 days from the date hereof.

A message received early yesterday morning gave the first intimation at Colorado City of the proposition to be submitted by the Victor committee. It was that work at $3 a day would be afforded the strikers at Cripple Creek pending vacancies or changes at the Standard mill. The report was also spread abroad at strike headquarters that Mayor Franklin had said the committee would furnish a car for the transportation of the men.

The day was spent by the advisory board in taking testimony of the strikers and the men who had been discharged from the Standard mill. Rev. Thomas A. Uzzell was called to Denver in the afternoon on private business of an urgent nature and will return this morning when according to the plans last night, further testimony will be taken. The members of the board dined with the members of the committee from Victor last evening at the Alamo, and Judge Hoyt and Mr. Frewen remained up until early this morning awaiting news of the conference.

The Telluride mill will be started up Monday with 75 men. These are former employes.

Testimony of strikers was taken by the advisory board in the Knights of Pythias hall at Colorado City yesterday morning and afternoon sessions being held. Adjournment was taken until 10 30 o'clock this morning. The line of testimony introduced not only went into the conditions actually prevailing at Colorado City, how the mill men live, how they support their families, the wages received, etc., but was directed particularly to ascertain what led up to the strike.

The large hall was filled with strikers. A large table for the use of attorneys and stenographers faced the rows of chairs extending to the rear wall of the room. Judge Hoyt, who is chairman of the board, occupied a chair at the head of the table with the three other members of the board grouped around him. They were Rev. Thomas A. Uzzell, Rev. Father Carrigan and Mr. Frewen. On one side of the table sat Attorney John H. Murphy and D. C. Copley for the Western Federation of Miners. Attorney K. R. Babbitt and Superintendent J. D. Hawkins of the United States Reduction and Refining company sat on the opposite side towards the end. Witnesses as they were called by Attorney Murphy from a list furnished by Charles Lyon, member of the executive committee of the Millmen's union came forward and occupied a chair facing both the attorneys and the advisory board. Judge Hoyt administered the oath to each one giving testimony.

Copley Testifies.

D. C. Copley, member of the executive board of the federation was the first one summoned by Attorney Murphy. He stated he had organized the Colorado City union, but had nothing to do directly with the origin of the strike. Mr. Copley did not assist in the drawing up of the wage scale or the compilation of the damendus made by the union upon the mill managements. He was followed by W. R. Ennis, recording secretary of the union who testified he was a member of the committee that arranged the demands.

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Reports were circulated yesterday on the street that Van E. House would withdraw as a candidate for mayor on the Democratic ticket in favor of another candidate, but Mr. House says there is no foundation whatever for such a rumor. "I am in the field to stay," said Mr. House, last night, "and you can say that I have not even considered withdrawal, much as some other candidates would like to have me, and those who are paid to circulate such reports on the street corners have no influence with me whatever. I understand the opposition desires to have me withdraw from the ticket, thinking thereby that their mayoralty candidate would stand a better show of election. I feel complimented by the acknowledgment at the hands of my opponents of the prospects of my election, which still further strengthens my belief that the Democratic ticket will be elected from top to bottom."

GERMAN EMPRESS BROKE HER ARM WHILE RIDING

By Associated Press

Berlin, March 27.—While the German empress was galloping through the Grunewald, a forest near Charlottenburg this afternoon, her horse, startled by a dog that ran across the path, shied and threw her off. The empress broke the fall with her left arm and one of the bones snapped just above the wrist. The emperor, Prince Adelbert, General von Lowenfeld, General von Wedel and a number of adjutants and aides following quickly gathered around her. The emperor was the first to lift her from the ground. She screamed with pain at the first shock but after that showed much fortitude. The fractured arm was dressed and bandaged at the hunting lodge by Dr. Leuthold and her majesty was then driven in a carriage with her arm in a sling under her jacket.

WORST BREAK IN HISTORY OF THE LEVEE SYSTEM

[illegible] Water 6 Feet Deep and over 600 Feet Across [illegible]

[illegible] Miles South of Greenville, Miss., and Flooding Fine Farming Lands in the Famous Yazoo Delta.

By Associated Press

Greenville, Miss., March 27.—A volume of water 16 feet deep and over 600 feet in width is pouring steadily through a crevasse in the levee five miles south of here, and is flooding thousands of acres of the finest farming land in the celebrated Yazoo delta. The break in the levee occurred at 11 o'clock this morning and the roar of the rushing waters can easily be heard in Greenville. Only 200 feet of the embankment gave way at first, and a mighty effort was made by hundreds of laborers in charge of the government engineers to check the flood by cribbing and sacking, but it was soon apparent that it was beyond human power to successfully combat the resistless fury of the current. An hour later it was seen that the ends of the levee on either side of the crevasse were melting fast as though it was built of sand.

When the first report of the break reached this city many people began to collect their valuable and held themselves in readiness to move away at a moment's notice. Tonight the back water has reached this city but it is believed there is no danger here from the flood as the water will pass rapidly to the southward. It is stated that the break is unquestionably the worst in the history of the levee system.

Reports from the interior are very meager but it is believed the people were fully prepared for a break and the loss of life if any will be reduced to a minimum, though the damage to plantations and stock may be quite heavy.

By Associated Press

New Orleans, March 27.—Interest in the flood situation here today centered in the break at Hymelia, near Lucy, La., 40 miles above the city, and the disastrous crevasse reported south of Greenville. Cotton men felt especially concerned with respect to the latter, and the announcement in private messages that many hundreds of acres of the richest delta land probably would go under water created a feeling of depression. While this break doubtless will cause a fall in the river in the vicinity of Greenville and for considerable distance south the water which goes through must inevitably return to the Mississippi through the Yazoo, thus prolonging the period of high water south of that point.

The day's developments at Hymelia gave much encouragement. Under experienced crevasse fighters 700 laborers were put to work early in the forenoon and tonight advices were to the effect that if the work is not interrupted the break will be closed by Sunday. The width of the crevasse is between 150 and 200 feet. A large area is already submerged but if the efforts of the forces at work are successful the water will quickly drain off. The crevasse is in the heart of one of the richest sugar districts of Louisiana. If it should get beyond control many valuable plantations doubtless will be covered with water in a few days.

The belief that the high water was cut in order to relieve other sections is strong and any attempt to repeat the action is likely to be followed by bloodshed if the perpetrators are caught. The river has fallen considerably in the immediate vicinity of Hymelia and the strain has been materially lessened on the levees on the east bank of the river.

Greenville, Miss., March 27.—The situation at midnight grows worse. Work on the protection levee through Main street has been abandoned and water has reached Washington avenue, the highest point in the city. Appeals for help have been coming in all night from Fuzzelo and race track additions and relief boats are being sent to their relief. The news comes from these additions that people were seen clinging to roofs of houses and rafts to escape the rising waters. Many lives have been reported lost, a woman and five children perishing in one house but tomorrow will tell the fate of many poor unfortunates. The southern part of the city is entirely under water. Houses even as high as Central avenue are filling and their inmates are seeking to move uptown. By morning the water will be over all parts of the city unless another effort is made to build a protection levee.

The city is in total darkness, water pushing out the fires in the electric light plants. All the convicts from Huntington are at midnight and work will be resumed throwing up protection levees on the main streets. A train from Vicksburg was held here at 10 o'clock and reports that the water from the break has not yet reached Wilmot, its entire population being concentrated in Greenville. A boat will be made to reach Wilmot north tomorrow.

NEXT TO [illegible] IN THE UNITED STATES

[illegible] Are Drawn for Another Battle That Will Be Hard Fought in Courts.

With one legal battle barely over in the Stratton will contest, the lines are already being drawn for another.

With the question of the jury panel settled, there now comes the vastly more important question. Who shall make the last talk to the jury? Shall the last argument, made to that body be delivered by the attorneys for the estate, and the last impressions on their minds be impressions favorable to the side of the estate? Or, shall that argument and those impressions be made by the attorneys for the contestant, I. Harry Stratton, leaving in their minds the recital of his side of the case?

The decision of this question and the battle which will be fought in bringing it to a close will not come upon the direct question as to who shall make the last address to the jury but upon the question. Which party to the suit has the burden of proof?

This fight, in all probability, will be started this morning when the examination of the special jury panel commences. The side having the burden of proof in all lawsuits has also the right to make the opening and closing addresses to the jury and to first introduce evidence.

The question then: Who shall ask the first question of the special panel this morning will be the question to decide. If the attorneys for the estate have the burden of proof in the suit, that is if upon them rests the burden of bringing the greatest amount and most convincing evidence in order to prove their side of the case, then they will have the right to open the suit by asking the first question in the examination of the jurors and the right to close the suit by making the last address to the jury.

On the other hand if the burden of proof, or the necessity of bringing the weightiest evidence, rests with the contestant and his attorneys then the first question and the last address belong to them.

Court Will Decide.

It is this matter upon which the attorneys for both sides were busily engaged yesterday, and if the question is raised this morning as it is expected it will be, Judge Needs will be called upon to decide in the matter before the examination of the jurors can proceed.

The attorneys for the contestant have not yet decided to raise the matter this morning, although they have reached the conclusion that they will raise it before the suit has progressed very far.

If it is not raised this morning it will come up when the regular introduction of testimony begins. The time for raising the question was debated by the attorneys for the contestant yesterday, and while it was not definitely stated, it is understood that it was agreed to raise it this morning. Those who urged this side, declared that to allow the attorneys for the estate to begin the questioning of the jury without challenge from them would be considered as a waiving of the point, and be used against them should they decide to raise it later.

It is understood that both sides have decided to boldly assume the position they are contending, and without waiting for any word of leave, start in at once with questions to the jury. This will mean a clash, and whichever side manages to get in the first question will be met from the other by "we object, your honor."

When visited by a representative of the Gazette yesterday, N. S. Gandy, of counsel for the estate, stated positively that his side would insist upon the first question for the reason that it carried with it the last address, and that should the other side make any move which carried with it those privileges, an immediate objection would be raised by his side and the matter would be referred to the court for decision.

The attorneys for the contestant would not discuss the question at length simply stating that the matter would come up for decision at an early stage of the suit. When asked to give the time when they thought it would be brought up they stated that it might be this morning.

The matter is purely a legal one and will be decided in that light.

At the Burden of Proof.

The attorneys for the estate urge that inasmuch as they proposed the will of Winfield S. Stratton for probate the burden of proof rests with them to show that it is a valid will, and that the more questioning of the will on the part of the contestant, results in an assumption of law that there is a defect which makes it not entitled to probate. They declare further, as a result of this, the law imposes upon them the necessity of proving that the defects alleged by the contestant do not exist.

The other side of the question, is, of course, taken by the attorneys for the contestant. They submit that the law assumes all wills, properly drawn and witnessed, to be valid instruments, and that any attack made upon them must be proven by the preponderance of evidence. This fact, they urge, makes it necessary for them to show to the jury by more convincing proof than is offered by the other side, that the facts are as they allege.

Overstepping, they state, in connection with the will, a entirely legal and it cannot be shown to be invalid unless they bring forth evidence to show that something exists, which is not apparent upon the face of the instrument.

Precedents will be offered by both sides to support their respective contentions and it is upon a review of these that the court will base its decision. Exceptions to the ruling will undoubtedly be saved by the attorneys for the losing side and in the event of the suit going eventually against them, they will use the point as one of the reasons upon which to apply for a new trial or an appeal.

The new venire of jurors, directed to be summoned by the sheriff on Thursday, will be in the district court room this morning when they will be quizzed by the attorneys for the respective sides and their qualifications as jurors determined.

One of the jurors summoned, I. W. Lee, was excused yesterday by Judge William P. Reeds on the ground of sickness, another, F. H. Shumate, it is understood will ask to be excused this morning on the same ground, and a third juror, John Anderson, whose name was in the list drawn, was found by the sheriff to have been dead for some months.

This will leave a panel of 59, taking it for granted that the sheriff was able to reach all of them who will report this morning.

From this number it will be attempted to draw a jury of 12 but from the declarations of the attorneys on both sides success in this matter is very problematical. Most of those on the panel are well known in the city and are fully acquainted with all the incidents connected with the will of the deceased and of the contest it is even probable that a jury will not be able to be obtained from another panel. The belief is also growing that it will be almost impossible to secure a jury within the county as there are few men in its borders who have not read in some way of the death of Winfield S. Stratton and of the circumstances that have followed and formed some sort of an opinion respecting it.

Sheriff Gilbert stated yesterday that there were still about 740 names in the jury box and this list will be drawn upon in case the panel now to be examined does not furnish the required number of men capable of acting as trial jurors.

Huffman Defends Himself.

T. M. Huffman, who was charged by the attorneys for the estate with having tampered with the jury panel, which was discharged by the order of Judge Reeds, stated to a Gazette representative yesterday that he would be willing to have a canvass of the panel made in order to determine whether or not he had done as charged. "They are the best ones to go to," he declared, "and if they support the charges that have been made against me, I am willing to leave town for good."

The matter of the change of venue, which has been rumored, cannot now come up unless it is found that it is impossible to secure a jury within the county and the matter will then be upon a stipulation doubtless signed by both parties. There will be nothing to gain by fighting against such a motion and it is not expected that any fight will be made.

If any such motion had been intended at the outset, it would have been made the first thing but the attorneys for both sides having gone into the case with the present jury panel as a basis, the court will declare that they have waived any right to bring up the matter in the future, unless of course the condition mentioned above occurs, when it will go to another court for the reason that it is not merely impossible to get a fair jury, but to get a jury at all.

The crowded condition of the old district court room, which has been apparent since the inception of the Stratton trial, will be remedied within the course of two weeks by removal to the new county court house.

The rooms assigned to the district court are nearing completion and as soon as they are ready for occupancy the entire field of battle, on which is at stake the millions of the Stratton estate, will be shifted to new ground.

THOS. M. HUFFMAN,
Against whom sensational charges were made by the estate in fight to quash original venire.

[illegible] Much Depends Upon Whether Counsel Make the Last Argument to the Jury.

[illegible] Strike Situation [illegible]

[illegible] Very [illegible]

Special to the Gazette

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 27.—Today the strike situation was very quiet. The streets of both Cripple Creek and Victor were packed with idlers, all waiting [illegible] for the news from the Colorado City conference, but at the time of writing nothing definite had been heard thereof.

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[illegible] Hill, adjoining the Wilson [illegible] on Bull hill, [illegible] for the [illegible], the manager stating that work would be resumed as soon as a market [illegible] be found for the ore produced.

R. F. [illegible], agent of the Independence [illegible] made the statement that [illegible] hours would decide the fate of his company, as he [illegible] shut down if a settlement was not effected.

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By Associated Press

Lowell, Mass., March 27.—Acting under the law the state board of arbitration today formally requested the mill agents and the textile council of this city to submit the question of wage increase in the cotton mills to arbitration as a means of averting a general strike next Monday. Both sides have the request under consideration. Very slight hope however is entertained by the citizens of Lowell that the state board request will be granted. The mill agents repeatedly have expressed their opinion that a wage increase is impossible and the textile council having in view last year's result of a strike based on arbitration have virtually given the request that it did not care to be trapped as the workingmen were last year when after a strike was declared off nothing was done to advance their interests. The state board of arbitration was in conference with the mill agents and with the executive committee of the textile council today but what was done at these meetings was not made known. Anxiety is felt everywhere for a strike provided the mill agents attempt to run the mills in expected to bring more trouble than the city has seen in its brief industrial history for more than four score years.

Today in view of the formal strike declared last night several mill provision dealers began posting notices that business hereafter must be done on cash basis, boarding house keepers intimated that boarders must pay in advance and prominent users of merchandise establishment spoke of reducing the number of hands in their employ.

Concentrates From News of the Day

Washington, March 27. [illegible]

[illegible]

Stocks and [illegible]

Many active [illegible] New York stocks broke sharply [illegible] closing active.

Chicago wheat and corn [illegible] early depression [illegible]

LOCAL

[illegible] Stratton [illegible] business.

Mines [illegible] and appoint [illegible] for [illegible] this city.

Midland band makes announcement about summer concert and seats at Stratton park.

Planting of trees begins at Coughlin park.

[illegible] arranging to pay [illegible] militiamen today.

De Long files damage suit against Sheriff Gilbert and deputies.

STATE

The house passed the Grant [illegible] exempt assessment insurance [illegible] from payment of the state license [illegible] and increasing the tax on old line companies from two to three per cent on gross premiums and the Drake anti trust bill on third reading.

The house passed a large number of appropriation bills, nearly all of them being for roads, bridges and other improvements of a purely local character.

Republicans of the house in caucus last night decided upon cuts in appropriations amounting to $200,000, most of the members were against making any appropriation for the St. Louis fair.

Posse may be organized to search for a Belmer woman who left her home and is believed to be mentally unbalanced.

Mrs. Arthur Francis, a prominent club woman of Cripple Creek, is dead.

GENERAL

College Tigers and the Millionaires play their first practice game at 3 o'clock this afternoon at Boulevard park.

Walter Preston, late of the Denver team, who was given to Manager Burns in exchange for Gaston, will play with the Omaha team.

Benny Yanger gets well merited decision over Hugh McFadden after 10 rounds fighting before the Metropolitan Athletic club in Detroit.

Harry Corbett declines to act as referee in Corbett-Hedley fight at San Francisco next Tuesday. Corbett was the choice of both fighters.

Postal treaty between United States and Cuba is in course of negotiation.

[illegible] Work Will Be Resumed [illegible]

The second day's work on the books of Building Inspector [illegible] developed according to the statement of L. S. Bach but little. Mr. Bach has not yet finished his table of the returns of the office and has not yet made any comparisons with the book of other departments. He states that all permits were kept on the stub of the printed forms used as permits and he has been unable to get them in such shape that comparisons can be made with the books of the water department.

The investigation will date from the first building permit issued by Jerome April 4, 1900. Mr. Bach yesterday afternoon issued the following call: All contractors, owners or agents having receipts for building permits or having paid for building permits which they have not received will please call for them at the office of the building inspector between the hours of 1 and 5 o'clock daily.

Mr. Bach worked continuously in the office yesterday and being locked in was free from interruption. The finance committee of the city council asks that all contractors who have erected houses within the last two years report to a statement all sums which they have paid in to Inspector Corey.

[illegible] Scandal [illegible]

The announcement of Louis W. Popejoy, threatening suit against the county commissioners for the recovery of $9,800, which he claims was expended by him to cover some of the rotten work of previous contractors, created a sensation throughout the city yesterday. Although for the last 18 months there have been rumors that crooked work was being done in the new county building, the prospect of an airing of the matter in court was greeted by an almost universal speculation as to what the alleged steal would develop. The affidavits which Contractor Popejoy states he has secured from his employes would necessarily lead into an investigation of material placed in the structure. Popejoy stated the other day that the only reason his plaster fell down was because the work of previous contractors was so carelessly done that the first-class material would not stick.

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THREE UNHAPPY COUPLES IN THE DIVORCE COURT

Three suits for divorce were filed with the county court yesterday all alleging extreme cruelty as the grounds for separation.

They were filed by Amelia Stone vs James W. Stone, Bertha Jackson vs Melvin Jackson and Josephine Jordan vs Fred Jordan.

In the first case the complainant states that she was married June 24, 1901 and asks for $1,000 alimony. In the second the complaint states that the parties were married December 16, 1890 and asks that their daughter, Edna, be given to the custody of the complainant.

In the last case the parties lived together only eight months. The complainant states that her husband was a widower with two children, aged 16 and 18 years when they were married. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name.

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The greatest danger from colds and grip is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. It will cure a cold or an attack of the grip in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by druggists.

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ANOTHER ... ASSOCIATION

The Young Men's Christian association was the recipient of two more gifts for the furnishing of their new building yesterday. Herbert S. Fairchild has given the furniture to the association which will be used to furnish one of the rooms in the dormitory. The senior department of the First Presbyterian church has also consented to give enough furniture for a room in the dormitory. All but eight rooms in the building are now provided with furniture. Practically all the rooms have been taken and will be occupied as soon as provided with furnishings. Two of the highest priced rooms in the building were rented yesterday.

THE MOTHERS AUXILIARY ANNOUNCES COMMITTEES

The Mothers auxiliary of the boys' department of the Y M C A met yesterday at 4 o clock in the boys' department of the Y M C A building. Mrs. Franklin E Brooks the president, occupied the chair. Mr Arnold, the secretary of the boys' department, by request, gave some account of the work of the department and its needs, particularly, in the immediate furnishing of their rooms.

A room committee was chosen, Mesdames E. T. Ensign, T F DeWitt, John Lennox, T. C Parrish, W K Argo.

Social committee, Mesdames H. H. Seldomridge, N M Partridge, W B. St John.

A membership committee is still to be named by the chair. There are 18 members thus far and an especial effort will be made to secure a goodly list at once.

SONG RECITAL BY THE WOMAN'S CLUB

There will be an extra meeting of the Woman's club this afternoon in the auditorium of the Y M C A. This is the second musicale of the year given under the direction of Mrs C C Dickey the chairman of the musical committee of the club. The following delightful program has been arranged:

Violin solo — Miss Whaite
Duet, Mr Bark — Vocal duet
Mrs. Garrison and Mrs Hemenway
Vocal solo — Heart Ever Faithful — Bach
Mrs Seldomridge With violin obligato
Miss Whaite
Songs—(a) Marching along — White
(b) "I Love But Thee" — Vogich
Mr J P Grant
A — Since We Parted" — Allitson
B — Who Knows — Rogers
C — "Not for the Whole Wide World" — Rogers
Mrs Garrison
Vocal solo— Martinata" — Tosti
Mr Clemence
Duet from the Italian
Mr Clemence and Mrs Garrison

SECURED POSITION—Miss Kittie Murphy formerly of this city has been appointed to a position in the office of Secretary of State James Cowie.

IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY. The East Side Improvement society met in regular session last night at the Deaf and Blind institute. The sidewalk question and other important matters were discussed.

NEXT SUNDAY
CRIPPLE CREEK EXCURSION
VIA THE SHORT LINE

Excursion tickets will be sold for Short Line train leaving Colorado Springs at 10 37 a m Sunday March 29, at a rate of $2.00 for the round trip limited to the date of sale.

Subscribe for the Gazette.

... A ... W ...

The annual reception of the Colorado college alumni to the members of the senior and junior classes will be held this evening at Ticknor hall. There are about 40 members of the alumni association in the city and, although the reception will not be formal in its nature, great preparations have been made for the event. About 150 invitations have been issued among the members of the two classes and the faculty of the college.

No special program has been prepared, but a number of short speeches will be made by President Slocum of the college, Vice President Shantz of the alumni, President Lake of the seniors, President Warner of the juniors, and others. Music will be furnished by the College Glee and Mandolin clubs, and a number of instrumental and vocal solos will be rendered. Light refreshments will be served by young ladies of the Sophomore class.

... W ...

Chief of Police King has instructed his patrolmen to arrest anyone caught flagrantly violating the anti expectorating law. The law provides that no person shall expectorate on the sidewalk or on the floor or wall of public places and public conveyances. A penalty for violation of from $1 to $5 is provided. The chief said to the Gazette yesterday, "I have waited long enough for the street signs calling attention to the law in the matter and I have decided to proceed with the enforcement of the law without them. They would be an immense help but we will have to do the best we can without them."

City Physician P O Hanford, who was called upon to prepare the signs in question, has stated that the matter is entirely out of his hands for the reason that he has complied with the request made on him and has forwarded recommendations to the street committee of the city council of which Mr Capell is chairman.

M... ... Kindergarten

The Colorado Springs Froebel association held the regular monthly meeting in Caledonian hall yesterday afternoon, the president, Miss Helen E. Smith presiding. Mrs. J C Ashton read a very timely and thoughtfully prepared paper, one which made a profound impression on all her hearers. The subject was "The Right Training of the Senses the Secret of Future Temperance."

Mrs Ashton said in part: "The understanding of temperance includes not only the common acceptation of the term but the apostolic injunction, 'Be temperate in all things.' It means the formation of right habits and the power to cope with, and overcome natural tendencies and appetites which are antagonistic to our highest living.

"In its broadest and most comprehensive sense it means a masterful control of one's self along all sides of one's nature. It applies to every attribute of the human life, to every thought, purpose and intent of the mind, every act and motion of the body and every impulse of the soul. By it we attain the end to which all true education tends—the upbuilding of character."

Continuing Mrs Ashton put these questions: "How shall this be done? What shall we do to attain it?" In partial answer she said:

"Training should begin at the very beginning of the child's life, through the training of the senses thus forming right habits namely self-control, education of the child by means of play, imitation and impersonation of the life about him, thus the child has in the kindergarten and later in the manual training school what is most needed." The speaker closed with a strong plea not only for the kindergarten but for manual training in the public schools.

Among those participating in the interesting discussion were Mesdames S. E. Solly, Gray, Johnson, I. B. Tucker, Spackman, Misses Grayson, Moore and others.

The subject of holding a merchants carnival was revived. This would be for the purpose of raising funds for the free kindergarten. The project was favorably commented on by those present.

... Mrs. ... Commissioners

Mrs N J Hiatt of Colorado City, who refused to accept money which had been taken from her by Dr. W H Arnold when it was handed her by the police officers who effected Arnold's capture has been placed under the care of the county commissioners who will look after the money which she refused to accept and will turn it over to her as she needs it.

She was brought before the commissioners yesterday by County Physician Richardson and an inquiry made into her capacity to look after her affairs. The commissioners reached the conclusion that she was not able to do so and they resolved to do what they could toward helping her. They decided that they would retain the $100 that had been recovered from Arnold by the police and would return it to her as she needed it.

They gave her $14.70 yesterday and will give her more whenever she can show that she actually requires it. Arnold will doubtless be released from jail as Mrs Hiatt still refuses to prosecute and the charges against him cannot be substantiated without her testimony.

It is hardly probable that Arnold will venture back to Colorado City as it is understood that the feeling there is very much against him.

... W... ...

The unknown grandmother mentioned in the application for letters of administration to collect by George H. Renn in the estate of John E. Walters manager of the Pittsburg hotel in Manitou has been located in the person of Caroline Walters of Thornhill, Pa. A notice was filed in the county court yesterday notifying her to be in court on April 17 for the purpose of presenting her claim, if any against the estate.

If she decides to make any claim she will doubtless be represented by attorney. The complication mentioned some time ago in the Gazette is now liable to arise. Mrs Walters being the only direct living heir of the deceased it is probable that if she sough to do so, she could cut off the other heirs mentioned, for the reason that they are only lateral heirs. The question may have to be decided by the court.

... Exchange ...

A rattling scathing tirade of opposing counsel against each other was the feature of a trial in the county court yesterday.

The case on trial was the people vs H W and C H Wyman and the attorneys who took part in the cross fire were J. Reid Crowell and R. E. Lewis. Crowell was assisting R. L. Chambers in the prosecution and Lewis was acting for the defendant.

The case was hotly contested occupying the whole day for trial and when the attorneys came to summing up the evidence before the jury they had become thoroughly warmed up. Lewis for the defence in making his argument, spoke bitterly of Crowell hurling accusations against him and charging him with having conducted the trial unfairly. Crowell sat through it all.

When Crowell came to the closing speech he took occasion to answer Lewis and his answer was even more heated than had been the charges of Lewis. Anticipating some answer however, Lewis had left the court room and half of the sweetness of the answer was lost to Crowell.

The charges against Wyman and his son consisted of an accusation that they had wrongfully moved out the furniture of a tenant who was behind with rent without having proceeded according to law in such matters. The jury which tried the case returned a verdict finding the defendants guilty of the charges preferred.

See Your Pulse

If it beats fast, then slow—skip beats, your heart is weak and should be treated at once. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is the best and safest remedy. Sold on guarantee. Send for book on the heart. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

CONGRESSMAN BLACKBURN

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"I cheerfully join my friend, Senator Pritchard, in commending Peruna as a very efficient remedy for coughs, colds and catarrhal troubles. Many of my friends have used it with excellent results." Spencer Blackburn.

HON. B J IRVIN mayor of Washington, Ohio, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co. of Columbus, Ohio, says:

"I have frequently used Peruna in my family and have found it an excellent remedy for colds and as a tonic. I often recommend it to my friends."—(B J Irvin.

The politician of all men must needs be in good health and splendid spirits. There is nothing so exhaustive to body and mind as to conduct a political campaign with the spirit and vim, courage and intellect that characterize a political campaign in the United States.

Sometimes these campaigns require the speakers and managers to sleep in a different bed every night, eat at different hotels every day, travel by day and speak at night for many months at a time.

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Hal P. Denton, ... Exposition, Philadelphia, Pa. ...

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Hon. Louis Rosenberg, Deputy ... of Jackson county, Mo., writes:

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... Preliminary Surveys ... New Sewer Connections

City Engineer ... W. Cone began the preliminary survey yesterday for the new sewer extension that will be made in the ... of the city this summer. The regular survey will not be ... until directed by the city council but ... this direction will doubtless be given at the next meeting. Engineer Cone decided to get things ... for the work so that it could be rushed through as rapidly as possible.

The new work contemplates the extending of all the sewers of the city so as to take in a larger drainage area. ... and will connect with the present sewers. The work when completed will cost nearly $15,000 and will add very materially to the sewerage system of the city. The contract for the work will be let by the new council at one of its early meetings and the work will begin about May 1. It is estimated that it will not be completed until the middle of September.

The work done by the city engineer yesterday involved the ... of levels and running of lines preparatory to the complete survey.

NORTH END UNION TO HOLD MEETING TODAY

The North End W C T U will meet with Mrs A H Conwell 221 East Dale street this afternoon at 3 o clock. The following program in charge of Mrs Holdeman will be given:

"What We Ought to Do"—By the leader.
How the W C T U Can Help the Y M C A — Mr Walter L Winkler.
Duet Miss Ollie Thompson and Lena Holdeman.
"The W C T U and the City Government"—J C St John.
Solo—Robert Work.
Reading—Mrs Rose Morris Ritchie.

It is earnestly desired that all members and others interested will be present.

ANNUAL BANQUET OF PHI KAPPA SI

The annual banquet of the Rocky Mountain Alumni association of the Phi Kappa Si fraternity will be held tonight at the University club of Denver at 8 30 o clock.

Josiah Winchester will preside being chairman of the entertainment committee. He has arranged a fine program and every member expects the occasion to eclipse all others. Members of the association in this city will attend the banquet.

FORMER SPRINGS MAN PROMOTED IN DENVER

John J. Herman formerly ... clerk at the Alamo hotel and who has many friends in this city has been promoted to the position of assistant manager of the Brown Palace hotel in Denver. ... Churchill formerly chief clerk at the Albany succeeds Mr. Herman as chief clerk at the Brown.

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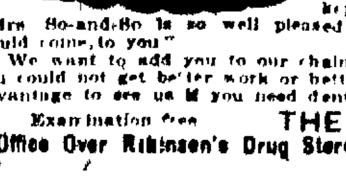

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A PITIFUL PLEA—"TRY US AGAIN."

THE element of the Republican party which is always out for "what there is in it" is setting up a pitiful little plea—give us another chance. Elect our candidates again and we will give you a good administration.

"When the devil was sick, the devil a monk would be."

And so upon the plea that there is bound to be "some" corruption, and the Republican party has only done its share of it, they ask another trial at the hands of the voters of Colorado Springs.

They have been saying this for years—so long, indeed, that the people are weary and disgusted.

Ever since the days of A. H. Corman, ten years ago, they have been asking for another trial.

The taxpayers have trusted them, and have been rebuffed for their pains, and have been given one boodler after another.

They have had their day in court; they have been tried time after time and been found wanting.

The Republican bosses have, by an indulgent community, been given every opportunity of mending their ways and giving the people a decent, honest lot of officeholders.

They return this confidence by giving us men who shamelessly and ruthlessly misuse the public money.

The community is thoroughly tired of it, and all the signs this year point to the fact that the voters are going to try to select a few men on their own account, without the aid of the gang.

COLORADO AT ST. LOUIS.

AFTER voting twice as much money as will be received from taxation upon numerous useless objects and purposes, the Colorado assembly seems now determined to concentrate all its economy on the appropriation for a Colorado exhibit at the St. Louis exposition.

Bills without number have been passed for bridging dry creeks, for making state roads that no one will ever travel over, for ditches and canals that will never be used, for the appointment of numerous officeholders of whom the state stands not in the slightest need, for graft printing bills to enable certain corporations to wax fat, and for various other useless and indefensible purposes.

Now, however, the cry of economy is raised, and one of the most important bills, that in connection with the St. Louis exposition, is to bear the brunt of the cutting. As a matter of fact, it is very important that Colorado should be fully and properly represented at this great exposition. It is important that all the interests of the state should be well represented. Very few people, even residents of Colorado, have any idea of its great natural resources. These resources must be developed. Outside capital is absolutely necessary for that purpose. The attention of people of means must needs be directed to this great western commonwealth. The attention of the better class of homeseekers, such as will throng to this fair by millions, ought to be directed to Colorado. We are always talking of advertising, and what better way than this?

Hence the necessity for a display which shall be striking, elaborate and convincing among all classes of people. To do this takes money; not a million, but still a reasonable amount. There is no reason why any legislator in the state of Colorado should concentrate all his economy on this particular appropriation. Every single county in this state will be benefited by the work done in St. Louis, and every legislator, without regard to party, ought to see that the Centennial state is properly and decently cared for at this great and peculiarly western exposition.

A WINNING CANDIDATE.

SOMEHOW or other, and apparently for a purpose, the report has been circulated that Mr. W. H. Hoagland, the Democratic candidate for treasurer, would withdraw from the race.

It is utterly and absolutely false. Mr. Hoagland has never contemplated withdrawal, but will make a strong fight for victory. The Gazette believes that he has a splendid chance of election.

The Republicans of this city who are independent of the machine are going to vote for Hoagland by scores. They consider him a far better qualified man for the office than his opponent.

A man who keeps the confidence of his own party cannot help to secure an election at the hands of the people. The fact that Mr. Hoagland is in every way qualified for the office; that he has held many positions of trust and responsibility; that he has the confidence of the substantial men and women of this community without regard to party—these things are acting powerfully in his behalf, and make it almost certain that he will be the next city treasurer of Colorado Springs.

The Republican bosses would be only too glad to have such a strong candidate out of the race, but we have the pleasure of assuring them that he is there to stay.

Senator Tom Platt has come out with a declaration in favor of the renomination of Seth Low for mayor of New York. Unfortunate Low.

A GOOD TOWN FOR EXPERTS.

COLORADO SPRINGS is a great place for experts. It is a dull week when an expert is not called in to audit the books of some official at a price ranging from $5 to $15 per day.

This money invariably comes out of the public treasury, and out of the taxpayer's pocketbook.

We have no quarrel with the experts as such, but the people of this community have decided views upon the condition of things which makes the services of those experts so necessary, and for such long periods of time. The expert in the Hale case was obliged to put in weeks and months in arriving at a conclusion and finding out just how much the city had been mulcted.

In the Coray case the bookkeeping seems to have been little more than a farce. Some of the books are missing, and what few can be found are the merest memorandums, instead of being carefully kept, with all entries made and balance brought down to date. It appears to have been a miscellaneous hodge-podge of notes, with nothing left but a few stubs upon which an expert can work. The bank book, by Coray's own confession, had not been brought down to date for several months. What little work was being done was done by Coray's brother, who is, apparently, to be made the scapegoat.

To the average citizen and taxpayer it must appear that the business methods which characterize our city offices are nothing less than disgraceful. Men are paid for attending to their duties, but instead they permit others to do the work while they put in their time on side schemes, or in playing the game of politics.

Surely every voter must be convinced now, if he never has been before, that it is time for a complete change, and for the adoption of honest business methods in running our city offices.

MR. ROUSE IS IN THE RACE TO STAY.

SOME persons, who are apparently more interested in putting forth rumors than they are in ascertaining the facts, are reporting upon the streets that Mr. Van E. Rouse is about to withdraw as a candidate for mayor.

This is absolutely untrue. Mr. Rouse has no intention now or hereafter of withdrawing from the race. He would be very unwise to do so. He has been nominated by the Democratic party in good faith, and stands a better chance of election than any Democratic candidate that has been nominated in recent years.

He has already been assured of a large amount of independent and Republican support, and will poll every regular Democratic vote. He is by all odds the strongest man that the Democrats have nominated for mayor in a number of years past.

The fact that he is so thoroughly acquainted with the actual practical needs of the city; the fact that he is honest and fearless and will not tolerate corruption or malfeasance in any form is bringing to him the support of many business men and voters who are tired of the years of misrule with which this city has been disgraced.

He will not withdraw, however much his Republican opponents and the Republican machine would like to have him.

FOR THE COLORED BROTHER.

THE colored brother has been again cared for in the usual Republican style. He has been given a chance to work upon the Republican city committee, without, however, any compensation except the privilege of voting the ticket. This is, of course, a very valuable consideration, and the colored voter is asked to accept with gratitude and thanks.

The reason for doing it, however, was so obvious as to be almost ludicrous. The city committee was filled with white men, but in order to appease the colored voter and make him think he was really getting something, the position of committeeman-at-large was created, something absolutely unheard of hitherto, and this place was given to a colored man. The Republican party is very generous with the colored man when it doesn't cost anything.

Now that Colonel Bingham, the custodian of public grounds, is to be relieved of his duties in and about the White House, both the president and the secretary of war take occasion to assure him of their high personal regard. The public is told by means of letters addressed to Colonel Bingham and promptly given to the press, that the rules of the department require rotation in station. Nevertheless, the opinion generally prevails that if Colonel Bingham had not called attention to the unusual expenditures of the present incumbent of the White House he might still have been enjoying the delights of Washington society.

It will, of course, be impossible to check the books of the building inspector without having access to those of the water commissioner for purposes of comparison. It will be an uphill job at best, and all citizens holding receipts without building permits should present them in accordance with the request of Chairman Clark, in order that they may be used to supplement the meager data which is already available.

When a gang officeholder hasn't got quite nerve enough on a graft he is encouraged by members of the gang council. Coray thought $5 a day was a little steep for our city hall inspection, which he didn't inspect, but he was assured that the "government paid that." The treasury is open; what more could he ask?

The gang sees the handwriting on the wall—they have taken to apologizing for their misdeeds and telling the people there is always more or less corruption, "so let us continue with our hands in the treasury."

The explorers are going after the south pole with almost as much energy as they are for the north pole. A British captain has just made a record on farthest south, and has found continents hitherto unknown.

The luck of Pueblo is not to be denied. A big packing plant to cost $345,000 and to employ 400 men is practically assured. Pueblo is to be congratulated.

The Hon. Ira Harris is a very decent sort of a man, but he is in mighty bad company. He'd better quit while he has a reputation.

"GOOD" JN. D. ROCKEFELLER.

Mr. Rockefeller was "good." There was no more faithful Baptist in Cleveland than he. Every enterprise of that church he had supported liberally from his youth. He gave to its poor. He visited its sick. He wept with its suffering. Moreover, he gave ostentatiously to many outside charities of whose worthiness he was satisfied. He was simple and frugal in his habits. He never went to the theater; never drank wine. He was a devoted husband and he gave much time to the training of his children, seeking to develop in them his own habits of economy and of charity. Yet he was willing to strain every nerve to obtain for himself special and illegal privileges from the railroads which were bound to ruin every man in the oil business not sharing them with him. Religious emotion and sentiments of charity, propriety and self-denial seem to have taken the place in him of notions of justice and regard for the rights of others.—(Ida Tarbell, in McClure's.

POLITICAL NOTES

Boss Croker is running an electric creamery on his British estate. New York remembers him as being an expert skimmer.—(Durango Herald.

Home Ownership.

The home ownership of a telephone line has been tried successfully over near Rifle. On one line after its first cost of building which was about $35 for each shareholder, the expense of maintaining the line is 50 cents a month each.—(Meeker Herald.

A New Drink.

The drinking of kerosene as a beverage is said to have increased to an alarming extent in France. Perhaps it is this that makes the Parisian so light-headed.—(Trinidad Chronicle-News.

A Talker.

"I have been talking too much of late," said Dr. Parkhurst to a reporter the other day. We believe a certain parrot made a similar remark on one rather strenuous occasion.—(Durango Telegraph.

The Yellows.

But for a few hot-bloods and three yellow journals in Denver, the strike at Colorado City would have been satisfactorily settled last Saturday night.—(Boulder County Herald.

A Good Veto.

Governor of New Hampshire vetoed a bill providing $5,000 for a sanitarium for consumptives. Bill did not specify as to building being erected in Colorado or New Mexico. Did right in vetoing it.—(Durango Democrat.

The State University.

A few days ago the Denver Post was saying not a little to say in criticism of the State university at Boulder. But forthwith there appeared in the paper's advertising columns a very liberal patronage from this same institution, whereupon all was serene again, and editorially the Post strenuously advised the legislature to give the Boulder institution all sorts of juicy plums. There is a hint in this for the Agricultural college trustees.—(Fort Collins Express.

Ouray Politics.

Ouray is a warm political center. Four tickets, and now the various women's clubs are meeting and lining up for this and that ticket. Ouray always more or less of a storm center.—(Durango Democrat.

The Governor.

Governor Peabody is to be commended for his efforts toward settling the strike at Colorado City. At present, it seems that he will be entirely successful.—(Boulder Camera.

A Good Lesson.

The present session of the legislature promises to be one of the best ever held. The indications are that very few bills will be passed.—(Lamar Sparks.

No Appropriation.

The Colorado assembly should not fail to make an appropriation of a sum that may be used in the discretion of the governor in offering rewards for the capture of criminals. Such rewards are known to be a powerful incentive in the detection and punishment of robbers and murderers, and the governor should be free to offer them when in his judgment they are necessary.—(Pueblo Chieftain.

Home Trading.

"Every city that has ever amounted to anything has cultivated the spirit of home loyalty and home trading," says an exchange, and it is as true as holy writ. No town whose citizens send money away for things they can get at home can possibly thrive and reach an important position on the map.—(Fort Collins Courier.

SHORT STORIES

How Another One Originated.

The ruined sport was walking home from the races.

He had gambled his last cent on the ponies and was a total wreck, financially and emotionally.

He was a distinctly recognizable picture of despair.

He knew he would have no dinner. So, in order to fool his stomach and make himself think he had fed, he reached his hand into his vest pocket to get a toothpick.

He felt something disk-shaped in between the lining and the cloth, below the pocket proper.

His heart stopped beating.

But it started again.

Otherwise the man would have died.

Digging vigorously, he recovered a 25-cent piece.

"Ah," he cried, joyfully, "help from an unexpected quarter."—(Baltimore American.

Lieutenant Colonel R. H. Pratt, who recently resigned from the directorship of the Carlisle Indian school, once slept in a tent with eight young men, all of whom snored. Colonel Pratt listened in disgust to the medley of gurgles, grunts and moans. In this horrible chorus each participant's snore could be distinctly heard; for each had in it something characteristic and unique. Colonel Pratt writhed and fretted. A man on his left snored nervously, with a kind of flittering, wavering accent. His was perhaps the most unbearable snore of all. Suddenly the snore ceased—its producer snorted and then lay very quiet.

"Thank heaven," murmured Colonel Pratt, "one is dead."—(Chicago Record-Herald.

A certain member of the stock exchange has set his nephew up in business three times, but the young man lacks something essential to success in the line selected for him, and has failed with each effort, says Tit-Bits. Recently, when he came with the fourth request for financial assistance, the uncle demurred.

"You must learn to lean on yourself," he said. "I can't carry you all your life. It would be an unkindness in me to keep supplying you with money to carry on enterprises that invariably end in assignments. I'll tell you what I'll do: You owe a great deal as the result of that last failure. Pitch in on your own hook and go it alone till you pay off those debts. When you've done that I'll give you a check for all they amount to. Such an experience will do you more good than all the money I could give you now."

Two months later the nephew walked in with every claim receipted in full, and the uncle was so delighted that he gave the promised check.

"Now, that's something like," he said, "and I'll wager you feel the better for the hard training. How did you manage it, Dick?"

"Borrowed the money."

Now the old gentleman is telling them that there is the making of a great financier in that nephew.

The Text from "Clover."

In portions of the south the ministers of the colored congregations are often more noted for their fervor than their erudition. In a certain revival meeting in a church in North Carolina the minister announced from the pulpit: "My tex' is 'Let de woman larn in silence wid all subjection.' You'will done fin' it in de secon' chapter, 'leventh varse ob Clover."

At this mention of an unknown epistle a good brother plucked the coattails of the minister. The latter turned round, then again faced the audience. "In spite ob de interruption," he said, "I repeat de tex' am from de secon' chapter, 'leventh varse ob Clover."

Again the coattails were plucked, and the minister glared at the plucker, only to turn once more to the congregation.

"Brudder Johnson," he said, "objects to de tex', 'Let woman larn in silence.' We all know dat Sister Johnson am not a silent woman. But I done repeats dat de tex' will be foun' in de secon' chapter, 'leventh varse ob Clover."

Here Brother Johnson rose to the minister's ear and whispered earnestly.

"Oh," said the dominie. Then to the gaping people, "I asks Sister Johnson's pardon. Her husband says I made a mistake, he is dat triflin'. My tex' will not be foun' in the de secon' chapter, 'leventh varse ob Clover; but in de secon' chapter, 'leventh varse ob Timothy. I knowed it was some kind ob grass."—(Philadelphia Public Ledger.

A VEIN OF HUMOR

A CAREER.

Brother Bill was a feller so skeered of mistakes
That he didn't do nothin' at all.
He criticised others for makin' small breaks,
But he didn't do nothin' at all.
He'd stand by the hour with his hand on his heart,
An' talk about taxes, religion or art,
An' we all said that Bill was uncommonly smart,
But he didn't do nothin' at all.

Us boys went ahead an' we worked with a will,
But he didn't do nothin' at all.
An' some of 'em turned up their noses at Bill
'Cause he didn't do nothin' at all.
But Bill is the pride of the fam'ly today,
They put him in congress, well out o' the way,
An' he's takin' life easy an' drawin' his pay,
An' he doesn't do nothin' at all.
—Washington Star.

"Well," asked a certain individual of an Irish soldier stationed in the neighborhood of B. P. fame, "how do you like Mafeking?"

"Well, to tell ye the truth," says Pat, "it would be all right if there was something to see. But there's nothing to look at but sand, and, be jabers! the worst of it is there's so much sand that yez can't see at all."—(Illustrated Bits.

"My queen!" fondly exclaimed the infatuated youth.

"My Jack," softly responded the blushing maiden.—(Chicago Journal.

"When good times knock on de do'," says Brother Dickey, "some folks mistaken 'em fer a bill collector, en pulls up de kivers."—(Atlanta Constitution.

Elderly Customer—Have you any preparation that will eradicate wrinkles?

Conscientious Druggist—No, ma'am; but we have a preparation that will fill them up.—(Chicago Tribune.

"Yes, he had a government job. He was census taker on one of the Philippine islands."

"Was it hard work?"

"You bet it was. It kept him on the run all the time."—(Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Jaggson—I wouldn't stand for that if I were you. Why don't you call him a liar?

Waggson—That's just what I'll do. Where, where is your telephone?—(Detroit Free Press.

Passenger—Is this the limited?

Porter—Yas, sir; ev'rything's limited 'cept-in' de charges in de dinin' car.—(Chicago News.

BRYAN IS SERVING ON A JURY.

The Parties Are a Corporation and a Widow—Said He Could Be Fair.

Lincoln, Neb., March 16.—William J. Bryan is a juror in the case of Mary E. Sharpe against the New York Life Insurance company.

"After hearing the evidence in a case where a widow is on one side and a corporation on the other, do you think you can render an unprejudiced and unbiased opinion?" asked Attorney J. H. McIntosh.

Mr. Bryan responded that he could. Several of the jurors admitted that their sympathies would be with the widow and against the corporation. They were excused from the jury.

Mr. Bryan went to the courthouse at 10 o'clock. He joined his companions and awaited the pleasure of the court. After he was chosen the case at once went to trial.

The case involves a suit for $2,000 claimed by the plaintiff as the result of an insurance policy issued by the company to Isaac W. Sharpe, a train dispatcher, who died in March, 1902. The plaintiff alleges that Sharpe secured $25 from her with which to pay a note which had been given in part payment for the premium, and that further than this it is not known that the note was paid.

Mr. Bryan was a very attentive listener. He appeared to weigh all the evidence presented and paid particular attention to the examination of the plaintiff. He occupied the end chair in the rear row of seats on the right hand of the jury bench, his large frame towering above that of the juror who sat next to him.

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WINGS OF LOVE ARE CARRYING MANSFIELD AWAY FROM FRIENDS TO ASK THE HAND OF SOME HEIRESS WHO ADORES HIS MUSIC

For four years Louis Mansfield has loved hopelessly; he has endeavored in every way known to a desperate lover to win the attention of the daughter of the rich New Yorker enshrined not only in his heart but so completely in his mind that he has composed much music for her, and has lavished his salary in buying roses and violets and other blossoms that lover affect on her doorstep.

Louis Mansfield is a musician of Colorado Springs. He is the pianist of the orchestra at the Alamo hotel and he has been likened in appearance to Josef Hoffman. He has much the same manner, looks like the famous virtuoso, and his playing is brilliant. Everyone concedes that.

Yesterday afternoon Mansfield took the train to New York. His brother musicians may be received a message that threw him in a most pleasurable excitement. That is the expression used by Professor Dietrich, the leader.

It Was Love.

"Hein!" said the professor, beaming above his music stand. "It is the love that has made him so excited. So! Collars went in, yes, and clothes—no time for packing, and Louee was off like the wind—so-o! He may marry" —the professor expressively shrugged his shoulders—"or he may not. He will back be coming, should he not."

This was last evening, when the guests at the hotel noticed a new man at the piano; not the dreamy, poetic-looking Louis but a young man who appeared to be all business with a nervous, white, rapid hand sweeping the keys. But the entire orchestra seemed to be in perfect harmony with the absent member and the program was one suggestive of a parting to him, the au revoir Mansfield was too hurried to take. The clarionet made itself heard in crescendos of silvery sweetness above the violins and the piano, and the music rioted gleefully along like the speeding of the train eastward with the clarionet dropping in here and there with the suggestion of wedding bells.

When this fancy was suggested to Dietrich, he shrugged again and said, in an interlude:

"Maybe"—He Hoped.

Maybe. It is so to be hoped."

For the pianist's friends are not any too sanguine.

Daughter of Millionaire.

So Louis Mansfield—that is his full name—goes east to woo an heiress, the daughter of a millionaire brewer. The father has been opposed to the Colorado Springs musician and some things he has done brings the blush to the cheeks of his friends, for they feel indignant at the stony scorn on the part of the millionaire.

As they tell the story Mansfield was playing at one of the great resort hotels in North Carolina; Dietrich says it was Hot Springs, N. C. Anyway, "it" was one of the half Queen Anne style, many-gabled buildings on a picturesque mountain side and Mansfield, who looks exceedingly well in evening dress, was four years younger and romantic. He was one of the orchestra and was at the piano when a girl very pretty, and graceful—indeed. Mansfield's friends say all the "verys" in the vocabulary have been applied to her—approached the pianist and asked if he wouldn't play a favorite air of her mother's. Mansfield was only too glad. He sought the leader, that dignitary consented, and, instead of the pianist alone, the entire orchestra played it and played it well, while the pretty young thing in the summer dress looked her thanks.

The pianist found out all about the family. Her father was a brewer who was rated high up by the commercial agencies and had millions. Mansfield also found opportunities to play for the maiden. She was 14.

In Mad Pursuit.

When the millionaire went away, Mansfield found he was in love. He grew wearied with his surroundings; he followed the New Yorkers to this place and that. Whether the paterfamilias knew of his condition of mind is not apparent, but Mansfield one day found they had gone without leaving the clerk an address where their mail could be forwarded. Besides, the pianist was constrained to return to work.

He has a friend in New York, who, in this case, has been like a brother. He has patiently stood the abuse and threats heaped upon his devoted head; he has dutifully, joyfully expended the money Mansfield has sent him at florists' shops in the metropolis. He has schemed in ways innumerable to have smuggled into the residence sheltering the adored one, the most costly blossoms. He has cleverly concealed notes among the bouquets, and has waylaid the maid-servants and thrown them in the hallway, but all to no purpose. He has seen flowers and notes promptly thrown out, and while reporting progress in gently-couched language has constantly held out hope.

Notes Were Returned.

Mansfield came to Colorado Springs, as he has confessed, with the hope of meeting her. His letters to her for two years have been coming back to him, many from the dead letter office, others, scores of them, have evidently gone to kindle the fires in the New York mansion. Those, friends of Mansfield have directed, and they have entered past the doors on Fifth avenue, or wherever the millionaire brewer lives, under this disguise. Perhaps, Mansfield would fondly believe, they had even been read by the fair one herself.

He Was Confiding.

Some months ago a St. Louis man visiting in Colorado Springs met the pianist and Mansfield confided to him his hopes and fears. The St. Louis man did not become satirical; instead he told a story of his own experience, how he knew a poor young musician who had married a "beautiful, highly-accomplished and altogether charming young heiress."

"I will tell you what I will do," said the St. Louis man. "I will go to New York, seek out the papa of your dear one and will see if I cannot arrange matters."

The other evening something that created talk happened in the Alamo rotunda. The doors of the dining room were about to close when a 'bus-load of arrivals from a belated train drove up to the hotel entrance. The orchestra, with that always apparent clarionet, was giving expression to the serenade music from the opera the Bostonians have rendered so popular when the piano ceased, throwing a discord that grated, just a little, but enough to draw attention to Mansfield. He sat as if spellbound. Those who observed him closely saw his face light up as he recovered himself and began to apply himself industriously to the keys. Others saw a look of recognition flash over the face of a rather portly well-dressed man who had come in and was about to register and as he caught the pianist's eye he winked, deliberately and with a purpose so evident that those who saw wondered.

Au Revoir.

"It is the same friend," said Mansfield as the orchestra finished that evening and began pulling out violin cases and putting up music stands with that unseemly haste an orchestra always has when the final piece is played.

Following the arrival of the Man Who Winked came a letter from the faithful friend in New York. It contained more news of such encouraging nature that the friends to whom Mansfield confided the contents became happy. He received it at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, at 1 o'clock he was on the train impatiently counting the telegraph poles as he mile by mile neared New York.

ROBERT DE LONG SUES SHERIFF FOR DAMAGES

Robert DeLong, who was arrested for having taken part in the disturbances at the Standard mill on the night of March 22, and who was acquitted of the charge of rioting by a jury in Justice Ruby's court on March 24, filed suit in the district court yesterday against Sheriff Gilbert, asking damages in the sum of $33,000. The basis of the suit is an allegation by De Long that he was struck on the head by a deputy sheriff, on the night in question, and suffered damages to the amount asked for in his complaint.

The complaint was signed by W. A. Edmonston as attorney and is drawn in five counts. The first count sets forth his arrest as the basis for $2,000 damages, half actual and half punitive damages. The second count sets forth the alleged striking by the deputy sheriff as the basis of $10,000 damages, half actual and half punitive. The third count asks for $1,000 for damages sustained in searching the tent. Counts four and five ask for $10,000 each, four on the ground of incarceration in the county jail, and five on the ground of the trial, which it is alleged was unwarranted as proven by the verdict of not guilty.

De Long sues by his next friend, his mother, Mary De Long, and the defendants named are W. R. Gilbert, sheriff, and John Webber, C. E. Benton, H. Kecheum, C. E. Salisberry, A. D. Silkwood, John Loy, C. E. Rulin, J. H. Riley, R. H. Rulin, Joseph Dayton and ——— Higgsby, deputy sheriffs.

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Today is the last day upon which changes of address can be recorded at the county clerk's office, preparatory to election. All those who have changed their addresses since the last election will have to have their new addresses recorded if they desire to vote at the coming election.

The books have been open for that purpose throughout this week but will be closed tonight with the closing of the clerk's office.

County Clerk Reed stated yesterday that there had been but 25 such changes during the entire week. He would urge attention to the matter on the part of those who have not been recorded.

FUNERAL OF FRANCIS WRIGHT TO BE HELD THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral of Francis Wright who died on Wednesday night, will take place this afternoon from the home of his son, Edward F. Wright, 115 North Wahsatch avenue. The interment will be at Evergreen cemetery, and will be private, but friends are invited to the services at the house.

Mr. Wright was one of the oldest residents of this part of Colorado, having come here in the early part of 1870. During all the time he was one of the leading men of this section and was well known in all sections of the state. He was one of the first to arrive at Cripple Creek on its discovery and located some very rich claims. He had considerable mining properties at the time of his death and leaves considerable other property. He was 73 years of age at the time of his death and leaves a widow and four children, two sons and two daughters. The sons are Edward F. Wright and J. A. Wright both of this city, and the daughters, Miss Gertrude Wright who lives with her brother at the above address, and Mrs. John McColl of Idaho Springs.

PRESIDENT SLOCUM TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

On his way east to deliver a course of lectures before the students of Andover seminary at Andover, Mass., President Slocum of Colorado college, will attend the Conference of Western Colleges to be held at Grinnell, Ia., April 7. President Slocum will attend the sessions of the conference on that day and will deliver one of the principal addresses before the members. President Slocum has not completed his plans for the remainder of his trip east.

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Manley Ormsby and wife of Chicago are guests at the Alta Vista.

H. Miller and wife of Marysville, O., were among yesterday's arrivals at the Alamo.

G. Laudig and wife of Peru, Illinois, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Yeager at the Alamo hotel.

C. L. Price and J. R. Enos are among the Denver people who are registered at the Spalding house.

Bert Briscoe has accepted a position as manager for Van E. House in the book store, and will assume his duties April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Newton and Wilbur Newton of Denver were guests at the Antlers yesterday, en route to Pueblo.

Happy Cal Wagner, travelling passenger agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. I. B. Corey of Sparta, Wisconsin, has recently come to this city. She is the mother of Mr. Corey, who is in charge of the framing department at Foltz & Hardy's. Before coming here Mrs. Corey was for six years head nurse in the Wisconsin state hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Cable of Topeka, Kas., have been at the Alta Vista for several days. Mrs. Cable will stay some little time. Mr. Cable is the superintendent of the western branch of the Rock Island railroad.

A party of tourists en route from California to their eastern homes, includes Mr. and Mrs. Walworth, St. Johnsville, N. Y.; Edith Offner, New York city; Mr. and Mrs. S. Murphy, Pittsburg, Pa. They registered at the Alta Vista during their stay in the Springs.

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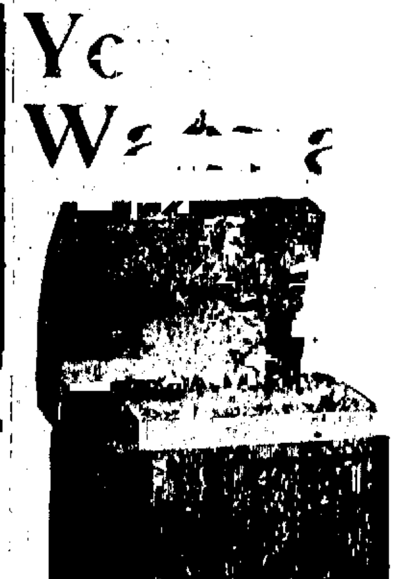

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THE MASONS DECIDE TO BUILD A TEMPLE

El Paso Lodge Adopts Resolutions and Appoints Committee to Further Project Which Will Involve Expenditure of Nearly $75,000—Plans Suggested.

At the regular meeting last night of El Paso lodge No. 13, A. F. and A. M., the principal business transacted was in relation to the proposed Masonic temple. After the routine business had been accomplished the report of the committee appointed sometime ago to confer with committees from other orders relative to a fraternal temple, was called for and the committee submitted a written report without recommendation and the lodge unanimously decided not to enter into negotiations with other orders. A motion, therefore, was introduced looking toward the erection of a Masonic building. The resolution, "That it be the sense of this lodge that a Masonic temple be erected and that a committee be appointed to suggest ways and means for the erection of same," was unanimously adopted.

G. M. Edmondston, master of the lodge, in accordance with the resolution appointed on the committee, A. G. Sharp, G. W. Musser, W. H. Spurgeon, C. B. Seldomridge and George D. Kennedy.

In the discussion that followed the introduction of the resolution the sentiment was entirely in favor of the proposed temple and the members were enthusiastic in their support of the project. Some suggestions were made regarding the cost and size of the building and the general view expressed was in favor of a four-story building to cost from $50,000 to $75,000, although the entire plan was left with the committee.

The members of the committee assembled, immediately after the lodge was closed, to discuss various matters looking toward concerted action and in a general way talked the matter over.

The heads of the various Masonic bodies will be asked to meet with the committee at its session at Tejon lodge, the chapter, council and commandery will probably act together with El Paso lodge, although El Paso lodge will take the initiative.

It is expected that a stock company will be organized for building purposes and that Masons generally will subscribe for the stock aside from the lodges as bodies. There are about 500 members of the two blue lodges in this city besides a large number of Masons who belong to other lodges.

A NEW GROCERY FIRM.

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Campaign for Good Government Being Waged by Democrats

The campaign for good government in the city of Colorado Springs will be fought to a finish by the Democrats from now until election day. Headquarters in the Durkee building will be open day and night, and every legitimate effort will be made to elect the ticket now in the field and which stands for clean methods in the administration of city affairs, as against the past record of the party now in power.

The Democratic city committee held a meeting last night, which was attended by nearly every member, and most of the candidates on the Democratic ticket. The meeting was an enthusiastic one and all were entirely satisfied with the outlook for a successful campaign. Much encouragement has been given the candidates during the past few days by those of different political faith, who have expressed themselves as being tired of conditions which have long prevailed in the conduct of the city offices, and who see no way out of the mire except through a clean sweep.

Charles R. Burger was chosen chairman of the committee and will have entire charge of the campaign. A. P. Toombs was elected secretary. The headquarters will be kept open from now until after the campaign.

The Colorado Midland Band Will Give Concerts This Summer

The Colorado Midland band will give its first open air concert of the season at Cheyenne park one week from tomorrow, and if the weather is favorable these concerts will be continued every Sunday until fall. A concert was to have been given tomorrow at Cheyenne park if the weather was favorable, but as the Millionaires and the Denver Grizzlies play their first practice game tomorrow, it was decided to postpone the concert for one week.

The first open air concert in the city will be given in either North park or South park about the middle of May. No concerts will be attempted until the weather is warmer. The band's regular season does not begin until June 1. It is not known yet whether the concerts at Manitou in the Soda Springs park will be given this summer or not. Arrangements are now being made for these concerts, but no definite announcements can be made at the present time.

The full returns have not yet been received from the masquerade ball given by the members of the band at the Temple theater Thursday evening, but the band is expecting to realize a neat sum for the purchase of music and new equipment for this summer's concerts.

Cymrodorion Society Will Hold Welsh Eisteddfod This Summer

At the regular meeting of the Cymrodorion society held last night at the Y. M. C. A. building, a committee consisting of Rev. E. Evans Carrington, chairman; R. J. Gwillim and E. W. Stephens was appointed to take charge of the Eisteddfod, or musical festival, that the local society plans to hold this summer. This committee will communicate at once with the different Welsh societies at Denver, Pueblo, Cripple Creek, Boulder, Idaho Springs and in Wyoming and Utah to seek their co-operation in the matter. The members of the local society feel confident that the festival can be held here and will begin to make preparations at once toward that end.

It is proposed to organize a permanent festival company and to sell 2,500 shares of stock in this company at $1 each to raise money for the first year's prizes and expenses and for a reserve fund. The society has promise of assistance in carrying out this project from all the Welshmen in the state that have been approached upon the subject and there is no doubt but that a great assemblage of Welsh and other musical talent will be held in this city next summer.

At the meeting last night the local society adopted its constitution and by-laws and ordered a number of copies to be printed for distribution among the members.

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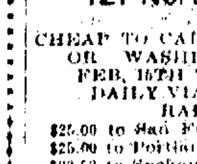

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[illegible] PRODUCTION

Over 1,000 Tons of Ore Awaiting Shipment—Good Values in the New Ore Shoot of Fitch Shaft on Burns of the Acacia.

Special to the Gazette.

Cripple Creek, March 27.—The Practical Mining company, operating the Trachyte of the New Zealand company on Bull hill, now has over 1,000 tons of ore broken in the workings of that property, and are still working filling the stopes with ore. A large part of their ore in the past was treated at the Economic reduction works, but of late that plant has been unable to handle the large shipments made from the Golden Cycle and Woods properties, which has had the effect of blockading the Trachyte ores. Manager McIlwee is still working a full force and thinks that the ore shipments can be resumed the first part of next week.

Owen, O'Toole and others, operating the Fitch shaft on the Burns of the Acacia company, made their second shipment yesterday for this week, sending out about 25 tons that will return values of $80 to the ton. Their new ore shoot is showing good values and as the present stope is nearly exhausted, it is quite probable that new work will be started within the coming week.

Lynch and others, who recently secured a lease on the north end of the Blue Bird on Bull hill, sent out their first shipment yesterday, which consisted of 30 tons of screenings, which will run in the neighborhood of $35 to the ton in gold. The ore is coming from the 200-foot level at the old Bartlett shaft, and the vein shows some very fine specimens of fluorine which carries a large amount of free gold.

Whiting and others, operating on shaft No. 33 of the Vindicator, sent out a shipment of one carload of ore today that will return values of about $100 to the ton. The lessees expect to start the work of development next week, and will make no attempt to break ore until the ore market is in a more settled condition.

Dalsell and Wilson are making a steady production from their lease on the Golden Cycle which is being operated from the north end of the Theresa ground. Today the ore bins were filled with good-looking ore and it is expected that a shipment of three carloads will be sent out tomorrow.

The Rocky Mountain Leasing company, operating on the south end of the Delmonico, sent out their weekly shipment this morning of 30 tons of ore that will have, according to assays, about $40 values. The work of sinking to the depth of 350 feet is nearly completed, and a station will be cut out the coming week at this point, and levels run to the ore shoot, which is expected to be reached at the outside by a 50-foot crosscut.

Anderson and others, leasing the La Bello shaft of the Golden Cycle, received returns today from a three-carload shipment of ore netting the lessees $40 to the ton. Also a 30-ton shipment was sent out this afternoon, which will run about the same grade.

SPEARFISH COMPANY [illegible] DIVIDENDS

D. N. Heizer received a check yesterday from the Spearfish mine in South Dakota for $9,000 which is to be distributed as a dividend to the stockholders April 1. The dividend is to be at the rate of one cent per share and makes the fifth consecutive dividend of that amount, a total distribution of $45,000.

The company is now mining and milling 200 tons of ore per day which averages between $5 and $6 to the ton. The report for the month of February showed an average value of a trifle over $5 per ton while for January it was over $6. The general average, however, for the past eight or ten months has been $5.70 per ton.

The Spearfish company has recently completed a 200-ton cyanide mill and the cost of treating the ore is reduced to less than $1 per ton, leaving a nice profit on every ton of ore mined and milled. The company has a full plant of machinery in operation at the mine and all ore is handled by an automatic process after it has been broken down.

APEX COPPER COMPANY [illegible] DEVELOPMENT

The Apex Copper company, owning and operating properties in the Lake George district, is engaged in installing a new plant of machinery including a hoist, air compressor and drills and a good engine and boiler. It is expected that the plant will be ready for operation within the next two weeks when it is the intention of the company to sink the shaft another 100 feet making a total depth of 200 feet.

J. K. Vanatta, president of the company, will leave tomorrow for Lake George to be gone several days to look after the placing of the machinery. Mr. Vanatta states that there is a nice vein of copper ore showing in the shaft for the last 50 feet and assays upon the entire body of ore which is three feet wide, averages 25 per cent copper and $4 per ton in gold. In the center of the vein it is claimed that one foot of the copper runs fully 50 per cent, assays having been secured on samples broken down in the bottom of the shaft running as high as 60 per cent in copper, although the gold values remain at about $4 to the ton.

The vein is a vertical one between a granite wall on one side and a schist formation on the other, and the indications are that, with greater depth the vein will widen out. It is expected, however, that the great body of copper will be found underneath the iron cap which will probably be found within the next 100 feet.

It is the intention of the company to sink to the water level and this point is expected to be found also just underneath the iron cap.

The formation upon this particular tract of ground is said to be a big iron blowout, although the same characteristics are found in the vein matter in the entire section. The property is located about six miles northwest of Lake George.

C. K. & N. SHIPMENTS NET GOOD ROYALTIES

Returns were received yesterday at the local offices of the C. K. & N. company from several shipments of ore made within the present month by Lessee Granfield who is operating the property. From one shipment of 45 tons the values amounted to $86.90 per ton and on another one of 49 tons made at the same date returns showed values of $59.20 to the ton. The other shipments of 49, 48 and 48 tons gave returns of $37.50, $52.80 and $55.20.

The company received in royalties from these shipments the sum of $1,816.75. The ore is coming principally from the upper levels, shipments from the 300-foot workings having been resumed only a few days ago and no returns have as yet been received. It is understood that there is now but little water coming into the shaft all of which is easy to handle by means of the pumps recently installed. The shaft will probably be deepened another 100 feet during the life of the present lease.

RETURNS FROM THE LITTLE PUCK

Returns have been received by the Little Puck company on a shipment of 12½ tons of ore by Lessees Smith and associates who are operating in the May shaft on the Climax No. 1 claim on Squaw mountain. The shipment was settled for at the rate of $65.20 to the ton. The lessees are sinking in the shaft to connect with the tunnel below and are also upraising from the tunnel level in order to make connections between the two workings. When this connection is made a depth of 300 feet will be gained in the shaft and all ore can be handled through the tunnel workings instead of being raised to the surface as is necessary under present conditions.

WEEKLY REPORT OF STRATTON'S INDEPENDENCE

The weekly report of Stratton's Independence mine for the week ending March 7 shows that there were shipped 1,805 tons of ore, having a value of about $41,000, a gain in average value per ton of between $8 and $10. The report also states that a new vein was opened during February in the 700-foot level which averaged $30 to the ton. It is the intention of the management to exploit this vein with the hope that it will prove of great value. The stock has been advancing of late and is quoted higher than stock in any other Cripple Creek company. The last quotations were between $2.50 and $3 per share.

STATISTICAL EDITION OF MINING INVESTOR A HANDSOME NUMBER

The eighth annual statistical edition of the Mining Investor was issued yesterday and comprises the most complete and handsome volume—for volume it actually is, ever published by the enterprising management. The number contains from 90 to 100 pages and a large portion of it is printed upon fine enameled paper, which sets forth the handsome mining views admirably.

Every mining county in Colorado is separately referred to, the history of mining operations for the year 1902, with the production of the various metals in tabulated form being given in each instance. The halftone photo illustrations include many large buildings in New York, St. Louis and various parts of the United States, which have been built out of mining profits.

Other mining sections apart from Colorado are given a great deal of space and attention. There is a special article upon the gold fields of eastern Oregon while the Black Hills of South Dakota, California and Utah also come in for a large share of attention. "Critic" has a characteristic letter entitled "Critic Fleeces a Lamb," and there are a number of special articles devoted to the famous mines of many states and counties. For accuracy of detail and typographical beauty this edition of the Mining Investor is one of the best numbers that has ever been issued by publishers of mining journals.

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JAMES H. SNOW DEAD.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 27.—James H. Snow, president of the Royal Gas company and prominent in business circles, died suddenly last night. He was stricken with heart disease. Mr. Snow was a director of the National Transit company, secretary and director of the International Pump company and indirectly connected with the Standard Oil company. He was 55 years old.

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C. K. and N. was the leader in the advance, selling at 20 and 20¼ upon good reports from the property.

Acacia was unchanged at 7¾ and Doctor Jack Pot was slightly lower at from 9¼ down to 9.

Elkton advanced from 35 at the opening to 35¾ at the close and El Paso sold up to 58¾, while Findlay held strong at 11¾. Gold Dollar was fractionally higher, selling at 4¾ and 4¾, while Iron Hills advanced to 19¾, a gain of nearly a cent from the day before.

Work was rather weak, selling at 5¾. Portland and Vindicator were held at higher prices, though no trades were made in either stock. In the prospect department American Consolidated sold at 2¼ and Keystone was weaker, selling down to 4. Mary Cashen gained to 2 at the opening, but declined to 2¾ at the close. The close, however, showed a slight gain from the low point. In the miscellaneous department no stock was traded in, at prices above $7 per thousand shares.

MINES.

Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Acacia	7¾	7¾
Anaconda	15	16
Black Jack	4½	5½
C. C. Con	4½	5
C. K. and N.	27	20½
Cerbonia	....	4
Dante	....	2½
Dr. Jack Pot	8½	9½
Elkton Con.	35¾	36
El Paso	57	57
Emma R.	2½	4
Findlay	11¾	12
Gold Dol. Con.	4¾	4¾
Golden Cycle	68	70
Golden Fleece	11	11
Gould	3	4½
Isabella	17½	18½
Jack Pot	9	10
Gold Dollar	15	20
Lexington	4½	4¾
Mollie Gibson	6	7
Moon Anchor	8	8½
Pharmacist Con.	4	4½
Pinnacle	4¾	4½
Portland	1.33	1.40
Prince Albert	2½	2¾
Vindicator	1.00	....
Work	5¾	6

PROSPECTS.

Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Agnes	2	2
Alamo	....	....
American Con.	2	2¼
Asia	2	2½
B. H. Allox	1	2
Blue Bird	2	2½
Blue Bell	....	2½
Bon Lee	.005	.01
Buckhorn	1	1½
Calera	2½	....
C. C. G. Ex.	2½	3
C. C. and M.	2	2½
Constantine	....	1½
Creede and C. C.	4½	4½
Dead Shot	1½	....
Des Moines	2½	3
Easter Bell	.007	.009
Flower of West	....	2
Gold Band	2½	3
Gold Hill	.006	1½
Gold Knob	1½	1¾
Gold Sovereign	2½	3
Jugi	....	....
Ida May	....	11
Ironclad	....	2½
Jolly Jane	1	1½
Keystone	....	4½
Kitty	.08	1½
Little Bessie	3½	4½
Little Joan	....	1½
Little Nell	2½	3
Little Puck	2½	3
Magnet Rock	1½	1½
Marie A.	....	1½
Marquette	.008	1½
Mary Cashen	2½	2¾
Mary Nevin	....	2½
Merrimac	.008	1½
Midway	....	2½
Missouri	....	1½
Mobile	1	1½
National	....	....
Nellie V.	.007	....
New Haven	....	2½
Old Gold	....	3½
Oriole	1	2
Papoose	....	2
Pilgrim Con.	....	1½
Pointer	1½	2
Princess	1½	2
Quartzite	....	2
Regina	....	1½
Regulator	1½	2
Republic	2½	2½
Robert Burns	....	2½
Rocky Mountain	....	2
Rose Maud	1½	2
Rose Nicol	....	2½
St. Thomas	1	1½
Sunset-Eclipse	2½	2½
Twin Citiers	1½	2
Uncle Sam	.005	2
Virginia M.	1½	2

MISCELLANEOUS.

Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Anchor	.008	.009
Antelope	.0035	....
Argentum-J	.0045	....
Astor	....	.002
Banner	.008	....
Bismuth	.007	....
Cable Con.	.003	....
Cadillac	....	1½
C. C. Bullion	.005	....
Celestine	.002	....
Chicolo	.004	....
Colfax	.0035	.005
Col. Dames	....	.003
Copper Signal	.0065	....
Detroit	.004	....
Dorothy	....	.0075
Echo	.001	....
Eleanor	.008	....
Emma Aimee	....	.005
Favorite	.001	.003
Jigaro	.0015	....
Fulton M.	.005	....
Gold Calf	.008	.008
Golden Age	.005	....
G. Eagle, C.	.005	....
Goldfield	.002	....
Goldstone	.005	....
Grace	....	.001
G. H. Belt	....	2
Hayden	.005	....
Henrietta	.001	.003
Horseshoe	....	.002
Jean L.	.0025	....
Key West	.003	....
Little Man	....	.002
Lucrative	.005	.003
Magna Charta	....	1
Marion	.002	....
Montreal	1½	....
Navajo	.0015	.0025
O. K.	....	.009
Olive Branch	.001	1
Palace	.005	....
Pelican	.003	....
Prin-Bell	....	.003
Red Spruce	.008	.008
Reward	.003	....
Santa Fe	....	.003
Shannon	.001	.0055
Silver State	.001	....
Silver Gold	....	.003
Spar	.005	.006
Tenderfoot Con	.0035	....
Teutonic	....	1
Texas Girl	.004	.0055
Union	....	2½
Volcano	....	.009
Wide Awake	.007	.009
Zenobia	....	.15
Zoe	.005	.009

SEPARATE SALES

MINES.

Acacia, 100 at 7¾.
C. K. and N. 2000 at 20¼, 2000 at 20.
Doctor-Jack Pot, 2000 at 8¾, 9000 at 9.
Elkton, 500 at 35, 1500 at 35¼, 1000 at 35¾, 500 at 35¾.
El Paso, 1000 at 58¼.
Emma R., 1000 at 3½.
Findlay, 500 at 11¾.
Gold Dol. Con., 10,000 at 4¾, 10,000 at 4¾.
Isabella, 500 at 18, 1000 at 18¼.
Moon Anchor, 400 at 7.
Pharmacist Cons., 1000 at 4¼.
Prince A., 500 at 2¾.
Work, 1000 at 5¾.

PROSPECTS.

American Con., 3000 at 2¼.
C. C. and M., 2000 at 2.
Flower of the West, 1000 at 1¾.
Keystone, 1000 at 4¼, 2000 at 4.
Mary Cashen, 2000 at 3, 2000 at 2¾, 2000 at 2¾.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bismuth, 1000 at .006.
Prin-Bell, 1000 at .003.

R. G. DUN & CO.'S REVIEW.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 27.—R. G. Dun & company's weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Irregularities in retail trade is due to weather conditions. At most points an early season stimulates the business but in other sections there has been interruption from excessive rains. More uniform activity is reported in wholesale trade with a notably large movement of groceries, millinery, paper and builders' materials while conditions are satisfactory for the season in jewelry. Manufacturers of clothing, furniture, footwear and iron and steel are still engaged, ample supplies of fuel greatly facilitating operations but extensive strikes threaten to render idle many New England textile mills. Early opening of lake navigation will benefit business, and the railway traffic embargo will be removed. Earnings of railways thus far reported for March exceed last year's by 12.6 per cent, and surpass those of 1901 by 22.9 per cent. An output of about 300,000 tons of coke in the whole Connellsville region for the last week indicates that fuel troubles are almost ended in the iron and steel industry.

No improvement has appeared in the drygoods market. The situation is peculiarly complicated as to cotton goods; stocks are light as a rule and labor troubles threaten to curtail the output, yet jobbers are reluctant to undertake contracts at present quotations. Dullness is reported in woolen goods, with new business on a limited scale. Cancellation of early orders has become a serious problem, many mills that had disposed of their product for the season now seeking business. Jobbers are placing large orders for fall delivery of shoes, readily paying the recent advance in prices and manufacturers of heavy goods have booked more business than is customary at this early date. Leather is quiet but low stocks maintain prices. At last, the turning point has been reached in domestic hides and prices have steadied which is due to the somewhat better condition of receipts.

Failures this week numbered 214 in the United States as against 205 last year and 26 in Canada against 22 a year ago.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 27.—Bradstreet tomorrow will say:

Weather, crops, distributive trade, transportation and even collections show improvement this week. The price situation shows few important changes but so far as actual indications are concerned, demand shows no curbing as a result of increased cost. Railway earnings continue excellent, those for the third week of March showing the enormous gain of 17 per cent in gross.

An abundance of moisture in the form of rates fell in the West and northwest last week. This put the ground in good shape for spring planting. Jobbing distribution of drygoods, clothing, notions, millinery, hardware and shoes show a large aggregate, though spring trade has probably reached its maximum at leading western centers. Fall business is now beginning to be sought. Iron and steel are active and demand still surpasses supply. The tendency is still toward increased strength in finished products, a strengthening element being the upward tendency of British and German markets. Wire and nails note marked strength. In the crude forms the feature is better demand for pig iron at Chicago and Pittsburg and higher prices for steel billets at leading centers. A curious development is the sale of some Lake Superior charcoal iron to France. Lumber continues active with deliveries unequal to requirements at many points and building material of all kinds, in fact, is active, though quotations are 30 to 50 per cent higher than a few years ago and labor manifests a desire to get all or more than all that building trade will bear. Large sales of steel rails to traction companies and of steel pipe to Texas and California oil producers are noted. An interesting feature in finished machinery lines is the report from Providence that large orders for export to Italy have been received. Leather is steady at the east. Wool is firmly held at the east; supplies are closely held and London prices are higher.

Tin is selling speculatively higher, lead and spelter are firmer and copper alone of the other metals is lower.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending March 26 number 175 against 194 last week and 183 in this week of 1902.

In Canada 16 against 14 last week and 22 a year ago.

Bank Clearings.

New York, March 27.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended March 26, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year.

New York	$1,228,848,892	....	5.0
Chicago	157,709,596	....	3.8
Boston	114,865,196	....	7.5
Philadelphia	100,793,249	....	1.4
St. Louis	42,488,255	....	11.2
Pittsburg	58,307,701	31.6	....
San Francisco	25,520,768	....	23.8
Baltimore	20,186,694	....	2
Cincinnati	21,408,900	16.3	....
Kansas City	18,702,538	6.3	....
Minneapolis	12,816,079	18.5	....
Totals, U. S.	$2,000,318,130	....	3.6
Outside N. Y.	771,471,239	.1	....
Totals, Canada	80,013,017	13.8	....

THE MEN AND WOMEN

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(The advertisement of the Assurance Savings and Loan Association will appear in this space tomorrow.)

EASTERN MARKETS

STOCK LETTER.

Report of J. S. Bache & Co. to Otis & Hough.

New York, March 27.—Today's market was one of the weakest that has been witnessed since last December. After opening fairly steady, prices began to crumble, and with the course of the afternoon broke very sharply. The particular weakness in such stocks as St. Paul, N. Y. C., Pennsylvania and Northwestern naturally had a disturbing influence on the whole list. The declines however in some of the lower priced issues were almost as extensive as those in the stocks named. The market closed active but it showed nothing more than that the room traders were covering shorts in some directions and their buying led to such rallies as were observed. There was no special news all day which would account for such a decline as the market suffered.

Money was not particularly tight, and the prospects for the bank statement tomorrow indicated that the showing would be a rather negative one.

McIntyre & Marshall—The action of the stock market today indicating a strong tendency towards readjustment of values in the list to their dividend paying power, should have a salutary effect upon traders and cause discrimination in their selection, both for investment and speculation and the fact is made all the more notable by reason of values being attacked among the high priced and better class of railway shares, and the dividends of which are in danger of being changed for the worse within the scope of the present forecast. The chances that today's operations will be the cause of sober reflection and that more stocks will gradually come out and be for sale. We believe it will be found that the public will be little affected by the decline and stocks had passed largely into the hands of what is known as the "greater financial interests."

Zimmerman & Forshay—The prevalent feeling this afternoon is that if the market cannot be held up on as much good news as came out yesterday there is no use of trying to hold up prices at all, and on this theory there has been an important increase in general outside liquidation. The market has developed comparatively few stop orders. Early in the afternoon and during the morning selling orders apparently amounting anywhere from 75,000 to 100,000 shares were distributed by one house. It is thought that two well-known traders whose lines are invariably large who tried the market yesterday on the long side and found it unprofitable have completely sold out and gone short of at least corresponding amounts and in this movement have the support of the rank and file and of the so-called Waldorf crowd.

American Sugar	125⅝	125¾	123⅝	124
Am. Locomotive	29½	29¾	27½	27½
do do pfd	94⅝	94⅝	94	94
Am. Smelting	42½	42¾	42⅛	42⅛
do do pfd	91½	91½	90¾	91
Am. Car and Fdy.	40½	40½	29¾	29¾
do do pfd	94⅞	94⅞	91	91
American Ice	27½	27½	....	....
do do pfd	31	31	30¼	31
Atchison	82	82¼	80⅞	80⅞
do do pfd	97½	97¾	97	97
Anaconda	16	16	16	16
Amal. Copper	68⅝	68⅞	66⅝	66⅞
B. R. T.	66½	66⅝	66¼	66¼
B. and O.	92⅝	92⅝	90⅝	91
Canadian	70	70	70	70
Cons. Products	34⅝	34½	33½	33½
C. and A.	32½	32½	30½	30½
do do pfd	68⅝	69	68	68
C. M. and St. P.	166⅝	166	160¼	162½
C. and N. W.	182	183½	182	182
C. R. I. and P.	44⅝	44⅞	43⅝	43½
do do pfd	76½	76⅝	75⅝	75⅝
Chi. Ter.	10⅞	10⅞	10	10
Chi. Ter. pfd	31	31	30	30½
C. and O.	46	46	44⅝	44⅝
Can. Pac.	130	130	127	127½
C. C. C. and St. L.	91½	91½	90	90½
Cons. Gas	207	209¼	204½	205
Colo. and So.	25½	25½	25	25
do do 2nd pfd	39⅝	39¾	39½	39½
C. F. and I.	65½	65½	64½	64½
do do bonds	87	87	87	87
C. G. W.	24½	24⅝	23⅞	24
Dis. Sec. Corp.	31	31	31	31
Del. Southern	15¾	15⅞	15½	15½
do do pfd	31	31	30½	30½
Del. and Hud.	168½	168½	165½	166
D. and R. G.	39⅞	39⅞	38	38
do do pfd	86	86	86	86
D. S. S. and A.	15⅝	15⅝	15½	15½
do do pfd	23½	23½	23½	23½
Erie	35⅝	36¼	34⅝	34⅝
do do pfd	67⅞	67⅞	65	66⅝
do do 2nd pfd	53⅝	54	52½	53
Gen. Electric	192	192	190½	191
Illinois Cen.	139	139	137	137
Iowa Central	37	37	36½	36½
K. C. and S.	30½	30⅝	30	30
do do pfd	53½	53½	53½	53½
L. E. and W.	42½	42½	42½	42½
L. and N.	119½	119¾	117	117
M., St. P. and S. S. M.	74⅝	74⅞	69⅞	69½
do do pfd	128½	128½	126	126
Met. St. Ry.	136½	136⅝	134½	135
M. K. and T.	26½	26½	26½	26
do do pfd	58½	58½	57½	57
Manhattan	139½	139½	137½	137½
Mex. Cen. Ltd.	27½	27⅝	26½	26⅝
Missouri Pac.	106½	106½	104½	107
National Lead	26	26	25½	25½
N. Y. Cen. exdiv 1½	135½	135¾	131	132
Nor. and W.	71¼	71¼	69	69½
North Am. Co.	102	103	101	101
N. Y., O. and W.	30⅝	30⅝	30	30
Peoples Gas	102⅝	102⅝	101½	101½
Penn. R. R.	140¼	140¼	138⅝	137⅝
Pacific Mail	36	36	36	36
Pres. S. Car.	62⅝	62⅝	61½	61½
do do pfd.	93½	93½	93	93
Reading	59½	59½	58	58
do do 2nd pfd.	72	72	70	70
Rubber Goods	25⅝	26	25½	25½
Rep. I. and S.	30	30	29½	29½
do do pfd.	79½	79½	78	78
Southern Ry.	32½	32⅝	31½	31⅝
do do pfd.	92½	92½	92	92
Southern Pacific	64	64	61	61½
St. L. and S. W.	24½	24½	24½	24½
St. L. and S. F.	79½	80	77½	77⅝
do do 2nd pfd.	70	70½	68	68
Tol., St. L. and W.	26½	26½	25	25
Texas Pac.	37⅝	37⅝	36⅝	37
T. C. and I.	66½	66½	64	64½
Union Pacific	92	92⅝	89⅞	90⅝
do do pfd.	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
do do bonds	102½	102½	101⅝	101⅝
U. S. Leather	12½	12½	12½	12½
do do pfd.	90½	90⅝	90½	90⅝
U. S. Steel	36⅝	36⅝	35⅞	36
do do pfd.	86⅝	86⅞	85⅝	85⅝
U. S. Realty	23⅝	23½	22½	22½
do do pfd.	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞
U. S. Red. Bonds	80	bid	85	ask
Va. Caro. Chemical	62½	62½	61⅝	61⅝
W. and L. E.	24	24	22	22
Wabash	28⅞	28⅞	28	28½
do do pfd.	50⅝	50⅝	49½	49½
do do bonds	78⅞	78⅞	78	78
Wis. Cen.	24⅝	24⅝	24½	24½
do do pfd.	48⅝	48	47⅝	47⅝

Money closed 4½@5 per cent. Last loan, 4½ per cent. Total sales, 472,700.

Coffee Market.

New York, March 27.—Coffee—Spot Rio easy; No. 7 invoice, 5⅝. Mild quiet. Cordova, 7¼@12.

GOVERNMENT BONDS

Furnished by Otis & Hough, Bankers and Brokers, 127 Pike's Peak Avenue.

(Quotations furnished by Otis & Hough.)

	Bid.	Ask.
U. S. 2s, registered	108	109¼
U. S. 2s, coupon	109½	109¾
U. S. 3s, registered	107¼	108
U. S. 3s, coupon	108	109
U. S. 3s, small bonds	109⅛	....
U. S. 4s, old, registered	109½	110½
U. S. 4s, old, coupon	110½	111½
U. S. 4s, new, registered	135¼	135¾
U. S. 4s, new, coupon	136½	138
U. S. 5s, registered	103½	104½
U. S. 5s, coupon	103½	104½
District of Columbia	1.1	....

GRAIN LETTER.

Report of Logan & Bryan (by Private Wire), to Otis & Hough.

Chicago, March 27.—Wheat—Liverpool ¼ lower; Paris ¼ to ½ higher. Antwerp unchanged. After showing decided weakness early, market rallied sharply and the close is about top for the day. The most cheerful item in the way of news was the large export business at the seaboard, amounting to over 100 loads. The Modern Miller was bearish. The report as a whole indicates unusual favorable prospects. Minneapolis reported a good cash demand, with No. 1 going all the way from 2½ to 3 cents over their May, but the demand was mostly from country millers. A local security house, which has been credited with being long a line of May wheat, was said to be parting with the property early and this together with general liquidating sales brought about the decline of 1½. There was sufficient demand from local shorts to turn the market at the figure mentioned, and when the export business was announced, there was a general commission house demand, resulting in the advance referred to. We think it will be necessary for this foreign demand to continue if present prices are to be maintained. Estimated cars tomorrow, 10.

Corn—Liverpool ¼ to ½ lower. Market has been a small affair and without features. There was a fair demand for July corn by brokers who usually act for Patten. There was covering by local shorts induced by the wheat rally, bringing about a strong close. No improvement in the shipping demand and the export sales were light. With any improvement in the eastern demand we think this market should rally and believe we would buy July on the weak spots. Estimated cars tomorrow, 140.

Oats—A fair business has been done in this market. There was general selling early in sympathy with the break in wheat. Later the early loss was recovered on covering by local traders. July oats have had to fully rally from low price and barring unfavorable weather we think they should be sold. Estimated cars for tomorrow, 200.

Provisions—Market has ruled comparatively quiet. At no time was the volume of business large. Early weakness was in sympathy with grain but later when the reaction set in a fair local demand developed. Packers were the best buyers of lard and ribs. Estimated hogs tomorrow, 17,000 head.

Quotations furnished by Otis & Hough.

Wheat				
May	72⅝	72¾	71⅝	71⅞
July	69⅝	69⅞	68⅝	69
September	68½	68⅝	67⅝	68⅞
Corn				
March	41⅞	42⅛	41⅛	42⅛
May	43⅝	43⅞	43¼	43½
July	43⅞	43⅞	43⅝	43⅞
September	42⅞	42⅞	42¼	42⅞
Oats				
March	....	....	....	37⅝
May	33	33⅛	32⅞	33⅛
July	30⅞	30⅞	30⅛	30⅞
September	28⅛	28⅛	27⅞	28⅛
Pork				
May	15.10	15.15	15.07	15.00
July	15.35	15.30	15.15	15.20
September	17.00	17.00	16.90	16.95
Lard				
May	10.10	10.12	10.07	10.07
July	9.85	9.87	9.82	9.85
September	9.82	9.85	9.80	9.82
Ribs				
May	9.30	9.30	9.35	9.37
July	9.37	9.42	9.37	9.40
September	9.47	9.52	9.45	9.50

Metal Market.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 27.—London tin prices were advanced £5s today to £138 5s for spot and £138 10s for futures. At New York the market was also a shade higher losing steadily at $30.00@30.05. Copper at London declined 2s 6d, spot and futures closing at £64 17s 6d. The local market was a shade better on the inside price for lake and electrolytic but it was quiet all around. Standard is quoted at $13.75, lake and electrolytic at $14.75@15.00, and casting at $14.50@15.00. Lead was quiet here at $4.67½, but in London it declined 1s 3d to £13 1s 3d. Spelter was steady at New York at $4.75. In London it was 2s 6d higher at £23. The Glasgow iron market closed at 52s 1d and Middlesboro at 52s. Locally the market was quiet: No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $24.00@24.50; No. 2 foundry northern at $23.00@23.50; No. 1 southern, foundry and No. 1 southern, soft, at $23.50@24.50.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000. Steady to strong. Good to prime steers, $6.00@6.50; poor to medium, $3.70@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.75; cows, $1.50@4.80; heifers, $2.50@4.75; canners, $1.50@2.75; bulls, $2.25@4.50; calves, $3.00@6.75; Texas fed steers, $4.00@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 28,000. Mostly 10c lower. Closed bad. Mixed and butchers', $7.25@7.40; good to choice heavy, $7.35@7.45; rough heavy, $7.10@7.35; light, $6.90@7.25; bulk of sales, $7.20@7.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000. Sheep steady. Lambs steady. Good to choice wethers, $5.50@6.75; fair to choice mixed, $4.50@5.50; western sheep, $5.50@6.75; native lambs, $5.50@7.60; western lambs, $5.50@5.70.

Money Market.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 27.—Money on call steady at 4⅝@5⅝ per cent; closing, 4½@5 per cent; time money, steady; 60 days, 5@5½ per cent; 90 days, 5@5½ per cent; six months, 5@5½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5⅝@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange easy at $4.8595@4.8600 for demand and at $4.8370 for 60 days. Posted rates, $4.84½ and $4.87. Commercial bills, $4.82⅞@4.83⅞.

Bar silver, 49½c. Mexican dollars, 38½c.

Bonds—Governments, irregular; railroads, heavy.

THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK

OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

Report of the condition as made to the Comptroller of the Currency, Feb. 6, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,567,414.92
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		100,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. Fund)		5,000.00
Bonds and Warrants	$ 573,048.79	
Due from Banks	1,025,107.44	
Cash	863,264.1	
		2,780,831.23
Total		$4,453,436.20

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	953,279.34
Circulation	100,000.00
Deposits	3,370,156.86
Total	$4,453,436.20

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK

OF CRIPPLE CREEK, COLO.

At the close of business February 6, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 525,903.45
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		50,000.00
Real Estate		7,194.90
U. S. Bonds to Secure U. S. Deposit	$100,000.00	
Other Bonds and Cash Securities	$3,707.58	
Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer	283,597.93	
Cash	234,073.36	
Cash Resources		700,778.77
		$1,283,877.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	9,000.00
Undivided Profits	29,400.02
Circulation	50,000.00
Deposits	1,145,383.10
	$1,283,877.12

The Exchange National Bank

OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

Report of Condition as Made to the Comptroller of the Currency, Feb. 6, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 919,760.99
United States Bonds		25,000.00
Due From U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Bonds and Warrants	$1,233,956.17	
Cash and Due from Banks	1,255,120.25	2,487,076.42
		$3,433,936.41

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	101,787.46
Circulation	25,000.00
Deposits	3,107,148.95
	$3,333,936.41

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE EL PASO NATIONAL BANK AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 6, 1903.

RESOURCES.			LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts		$1,140,637.00	Capital Stock	$ 200,000.00
U. S. Bonds		50,000.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits	70,910.12
Bonds and Warrants		31,946.17	Circulation	50,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures		8,525.00	Deposits	1,990,904.65
Due from Banks $889,291.24				
Due from U. S. Treasurer	12,500.00			
Cash in Vault	179,115.37	1,080,906.61		
		$2,311,814.77		$2,311,814.77

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THE Colorado Springs Trust Co.

CORNER TEJON AND KIOWA STREETS, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

Statement of Condition at Close of Business February 6, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans	$ 602,865.28
Bonds and Warrants	23,000.00
Interest Accrued	9,692.32
Safety Deposit Vaults, Furniture and Fixtures	38,828.83
Cash on hand and in banks	408,606.60
	$1,082,992.83

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 250,000.00
Undivided Profits	27,784.61
Deposits	805,208.04
	$1,082,992.85

IMPORTANT BILLS WHICH PASSED THIRD READING

[illegible] of the Principal Measures Acted Upon by the Senate--- Drake Anti-Trust Bill and Clayton Insurance Bill Passed Yesterday.

Special to the Gazette.

Denver, March 27.—Complications in the political game have reached a critical stage. The senate, which has lived up to its agreements, is waiting with keen expectation to see what move the house will make. Senators seem to regard responsibility at present as up to the house, which body is in a peculiar predicament, and all because of the appropriation bills. Republican members met again in caucus this afternoon to try to straighten out the over-appropriation difficulty, but rumor says that although all agree that some cuts must be made, they have their own measures, which makes it hard to reach a decision as to which bills will be cut down. The action of the caucus, no matter what it may be, will be unsatisfactory to many, and herein lies the trouble. Those who are not favored are bound to make trouble, which may end in no senate bills being considered, and the senate is waiting patiently before it takes any action on house bills, to see what that body will do.

In the senate today two bills of importance were considered: One was senate bill No. 275, by Senator Drake, and the entire afternoon was taken up considering this anti-trust bill, resulting in its passage. The bill is entitled "An Act to Protect Trade and Commerce Against Unlawful Restraint and Monopolies, and to Prohibit the Giving or Receiving of Rebates on the Transportation of Property." Senator Cornforth cited an instance at Colorado Springs, where a boarding house-keeper was boycotted for purchasing meat of a farmer instead of the Grocers and Butchers association. He favored the bill, and in the course of his remarks, mentioned that it was not a party question, this anti-trust dispute, but an individual matter with every man who was looking out for his own interest all the time. Senator Cornforth said that officers of the association mentioned were of entirely different political belief, but were working for their own pocket. Republican members in the senate voted for the bill to a man, all the dissenting votes being from Democrats. The reason given by these senators for the action was that they thought the bill would operate to the disadvantage of labor unions.

IMPORTANT BILLS WHICH PASSED THIRD READING.

The following bills have been passed on third reading, and are regarded as the most interesting and important measures passed this session:

Senate bill No. 1, Moore, eight-hour law. The author of this bill has achieved same from publicity given this measure beginning at the first of the session. This is the bill which caused the first rupture between the two legislative branches. It provides that no person employed in underground mines, smelters, ore reduction works, or blast furnaces shall work more than eight hours a day. When the bill was sent to the house, the corporation combine concocted a scheme to kill it by inserting a defective amendment into the Stephen house bill which was originally intended to cover the same points as the Moore bill. The Stephen bill passed the house, while the Moore bill was totally ignored by the house. Up to the present time, friends of the bill have been wholly unsuccessful in even getting it on the house calendar. The Stephen bill recently came up for consideration in the senate, and was amended to read exactly the same as the Moore bill, only the name of Representative Stephen remaining as a reminder that he had something to do with it. It was then sent back to the house, so now it is left to that body to decide what final disposal shall be made of the two measures. When senate members are approached on this subject, they smile with a self-conscious air which might be interpreted as meaning "We have kept up our party pledges, if the Republicans in the house fail to keep their promises and pass the bill, the fault is not ours."

Senate bill No. 64, Hill, prohibiting prize fights. After many different debates, this measure was passed, which re-enacts the law of '79. By the terms of this bill it is a misdemeanor for anyone, either directly or indirectly, to engage in or take any part in making arrangements for a prize fight or sparring exhibition. In case of death resulting from any contest of this sort every person encouraging or aiding in the contest is deemed guilty of murder in the second degree and liable to imprisonment for life. Some prominent Denver politicians are back of this measure, it being claimed that it is a backbiting attempt caused by a political grudge.

Senate bill No. 266, Clayton, was the most important bill during the morning session today. The object of the bill is to amend the act establishing an insurance department and provides for the regulation of insurance companies. Fees to be paid in by the companies are provided for, which it is claimed will be a good-sized tax on some large companies, and add materially to the funds of the state treasury.

Senate bill No. 188, Lewis and Graves, civil service commission, providing for the appointment of commissioners without salaries and the establishment of a civil service commission to apply to all offices and employments permitted by law to be filled in the government of the state. A chief examiner at $1,500 a year is provided for. Senator Lewis also has several measures to his credit.

Senate bill No. 3, Taylor, providing for the consolidation of the supreme court and the court of appeals. For this purpose it is provided that the bill be submitted to qualified electors, it being a constitutional amendment. The measure states that the supreme court shall consist of seven judges, to be elected by the state at large for a term of 10 years. If the bill becomes a law it will not go into effect until February, 1905. All cases then before the court of appeals will be transferred to the supreme court.

Senate bill No. 240, McGuire. If this measure passes and is approved by the governor, it will be submitted to voters who at the next election will vote either for or against "the amendment concerning the exemption of $200 of personal property from taxation."

The eminent domain in mining tunnels is a measure to stop blackmail when it is necessary to build a tunnel. Two years ago the same bill passed the senate but was killed in the house.

Senate bill No. 270, Cornforth, relating to property rights of married people. This bill provides that all properties acquired after marriage by either husband or wife, or both with the exception of gifts and bequests, and the income therefrom, is community property, of which the husband has control, and that real estate cannot be mortgaged or sold, unless both husband and wife join in the execution of the instruments of conveyance.

HOUSE PASSED MANY BILLS ON THIRD READING.

The house was busy all morning passing bills on third reading. All of these, however, are bills of little importance. The following are some of the most important house bills which will be considered by the senate:

House bill No. 18, Dolph, providing for a system of practice and procedure in relation to divorce and alimony, principally service of papers by publication.

House bill No. 47, Stephen, providing that no employer shall discharge or refuse to employ any individual between the ages of 18 and 60 years solely on account of age.

House bill No. 54, Tompkins, being a general appropriation for the departments of the state.

House bill No. 93, Murto, regarding change of venue in certain cases when receiver is appointed for corporations.

House bill No. 158, Aitken, to do away with the state board of pardons.

House bill No. 182, Garman, to establish a system of free public employment offices in several cities and providing for the operation and maintenance of same.

House bill No. 183, Belford, an amendment to the law creating a state board of arbitration. In view of the recent developments, this bill promises to be interesting. It was only after a long wrangle that appropriations for salaries for members of the board were allowed to stand, and now it is reported that because of political influence, Governor Peabody is in favor of the board, whereas he was opposed to it a short time ago.

House bill No. 276, Watson, granting voters right to determine by ballot whether or not licenses to sell liquor may be granted.

House bill No. 411, Davis. This bill opens the way for larger revenues being derived from the operations of the state board of land commissioners.

PROTEST FILED BY THE DEMOCRATS OF VICTOR

Special to the Gazette.

Victor, March 27.—The Democratic city central committee of Goldfield filed a notice with City Clerk Keating, of protest against the Independent Labor and Citizens ticket being placed on the official ballot to be used at the coming city election. The protest was based upon the alleged fact that neither petition of nomination bore enough names of legal voters to make it valid.

William Dix, a miner employed on the Burns shaft, was severely injured by falling from a ladder. In some manner he missed his footing and fell to the bottom of the stope, a distance of several feet. The injured man was brought to the Sisters hospital in this city, and on account of his age, which is 52 years, it is feared his injuries may prove serious.

The six-room home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, residing in Saw Mill gulch, was totally destroyed by fire tonight, with all its contents. The loss will reach about $1,000. Insurance could not be learned.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY ELKS OF CRIPPLE CREEK

Special to the Gaette.

Cripple Creek, March 27.—The local B. P. O. E. lodge held their annual election this evening and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. C. Newell, exalted ruler; J. W. Schrieve, leading knight; C. W. Wells, lecture knight; C. A. Panky, loyal knight; E. M. Turner, secretary, and C. F. Whitman, tiler. W. M. Sullivan was elected representative to the grand lodge and Frank A. Hassenplug alternate.

FOR VICTOR ALDERMEN.

Special to the Gazette.

Victor, March 27.—The Democratic city central committee was in session tonight and accepted the withdrawal of Dennis Kelley and J. H. Gallinger for aldermen of the second ward, and substituted the names of Gus Nelson and F. D. Peals, in their places.

W. H. Hicks and E. E. Barnett, employed on the Hull City placer, were injured today by falling rock, and will be laid up for some time.

STORY OF WHOLESALE INFANTICIDE UNCONFIRMED

By Associated Press.

Berlin, March 27.—Inquiries made at Gawlaw, Russian Poland, regarding the report circulated in the United States by a news agency on Wednesday to the effect that the widow of Lieut. Colonel Gawnski had been arrested there on the charge of infanticide and that the police said she had murdered 40 babies within the last two or three years, show that nothing is known there of any such arrest.

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BIG CUTS MADE IN THE STATE APPROPRIATIONS

By Associated Press.

Denver, March 27.—The Republicans of the house, in caucus tonight, decided upon cuts in the appropriation bills to the amount of $200,700, affecting nearly every state institution and eliminating many other appropriations entirely. All bills for the relief of persons who have claims against the state for services were killed entirely. The following cuts are made in the appropriations for state institutions: Industrial school for girls, from $100,000 to $80,000; state reformatory, for improvements, from $50,000 to $10,000; children's home, from $100,000 to $80,000; state university, from $50,000 to $40,000; board of health, from $30,000 to $10,000; school of mines, for improvements, from $40,000 to $10,000; Gunnison normal school, from $50,000 to $10,000; Humane society, from $10,000 to $8,000; agricultural college, from $50,000 to $40,000; normal school at Greeley, from $60,000 to $50,000. Among the bills marked for slaughter are the Garman employment agency bill, the coyote bounty bill, the new fish hatcheries bill, the traveling libraries bill and the bill for the payment of contested election expenses. It seemed to be the sense of most of the members present that no appropriation for the St. Louis fair be made.

PERSHING WRITES INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF THE MOROS

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 27.—Captain J. Pershing, Fifteenth infantry, who has been in command in the Moro country, has written a letter under date of Camp Vickers, January 28, to a personal friend in the war department, in which he gives in detail many interesting facts in connection with the disturbances in Mindanao. Captain Pershing says that after he was placed in charge of Moro affairs by General Davis because he (Pershing) apparently could get along with them he work on the theory that it is necessary to establish mutual confidence between the Moros and the United States. He endeavored to demonstrate to them that the United States is their friend, having no desire to carry them off into slavery or to take anything belonging to them without paying for it. This, he writes is all contrary to what they have been accustomed to in the past. The Spaniards and the Moros could not get along together well. The Moros were very jealous of their religion and the Spaniards tried to civilize them by seizing and baptising some of them. There were atrocities committed on both sides as a result of these differences.

Captain Pershing says that the Moros do not realize any other kind of a government than a one-man power. He says he has been able to keep all the promises he has made which has enabled him to be more successful in command of that district. They regard him as representing the president of America and are somewhat uneasy as to what his successor will do. The question of slavery is intimately connected with their religion and is something of a vassalage, or serfdom and not slavery, as known in this country.

He thinks it is a subject that should remain untouched until it is understood better. The Moros, he writes, should have a government which they can understand and it should be the policy of the United States to let it alone but to make each sultan and datto responsible for the acts of his people. "We cannot afford," he says, "to tear down their established form of government without giving them something better and I fear it will be a long time before this can be done."

The Maciu campaigns have had a convincing effect as to the impossibility of any natives escaping punishment when they commit depradations. Captain Pershing says the Moros have some admirable traits of character. "Once a friend they all go to the limit for you," they are industrious and have splendid rice fields and other agricultural crops. The country is capable of great things from an agricultural standpoint. The country is somewhat like Mohawk valley and the whole district can be compared to that about Lake George.

Captain Pershing says that he believes the troops could march around the lake now and be received in a friendly spirit everywhere except at Bacalod. He has a number of reliable secret service Moros and they inform him of the conditions and feeling among their countrymen.

He says there are about 75,000 people that live in that region and they are in a fair way to become real friends. He says this is an achievement he would be proud of and is almost ready to promise it, adding, "Though we may encounter some old, hard-headed savage to whom we shall have to administer a severe lesson in order to teach him and others what we can do."

Captain Pershing in conclusion says it is the most interesting work he has yet had in the army and he hopes to remain and be permitted to work out the problem. He thinks that a military government, for a long time to come, is the only one for the Moros.

WOMAN IS MISSING FROM BESSEMER

Her Neighbors Think She Is of Unsound Mind and a Posse Will Search for Her.

Special to the Gaette.

Pueblo, March 27.—Friends of Mrs. W. L. Langdon, who lives at 1241 Spruce street, are becoming alarmed lest she has made away with herself. Yesterday morning at 5 o'clock she left her home, stating that she would never return. Her 14-year-old daughter, Carrie, followed her, declaring to her brothers and sisters that if her mother did not come back, neither would she. A vigorous search was instituted today, and the only clew to the whereabouts of the two is a story from a ranchman living at Beulah, who declares that he saw a woman and young girl walk along the Beulah road toward Beulah. Mrs. Langdon is 54 years of age, and her friends fear that she is not in sound mental condition. They declare that of late she has suffered with melancholia and read her bible incessantly. After these periods of reading, they declare that she would talk incoherently on various subjects, frequently mentioning death. Citizens of Bessemer are greatly stirred up over the disappearance, and tomorrow a large posse will be organized to scour the plains west of the city.

A unique marriage ceremony will be celebrated tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. N. E. Patterson of 1040 Beulah avenue, when her daughter, Miss Birdie Patterson will be united in marriage to Clarence LaMasters. Both the contracting parties are deaf mutes and the marriage ceremony will be conducted by Rev. B. G. Munfort, through an interpreter.

Linemen employed by the Colorado Telephone company in this city are rejoicing over the announcement posted today which states that in response to their petitions asking for an eight-hour day, the company will in the future require the men to work but eight hours. There will be no reduction in the wage scale.

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CABINET MEETING.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 27.—This was the last cabinet meeting but one before the president's departure on his western tour, and the trip itself and the speeches the president will make were a subject of discussion.

Secretary Hay expressed the belief to the cabinet that the Cuban senate would ratify the reciprocity treaty without amendment. Secretary Shaw, who has been absent from the city for a fortnight, talked over some matters relating to his department including some contemplated changes in the department.

It is probable that the president will appoint the assistant secretary of commerce and labor before he leaves for the west next Wednesday.

MRS. ARTHUR FRANCIS.

Special to the Gazette.

Cripple Creek, March 27.—Mrs. Arthur Francis, wife of the managing editor of the Cripple Creek Times, died this morning after a short illness from rheumatism of the heart. A husband and two children are left to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother.

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MR. M'CLURG'S LECTURE GIVEN IN WASHINGTON

Special to the Gazette.

Washington, D. C., March 27.—Gilbert McClurg delivered his lecture, "Peak, Pass and Plain," here tonight before a large audience. General Forsythe, Dr. Adam Walter of Paris, Dr. Marcus Benjamin and Surgeon General Sternberg and many prominent Washington people were present. Mr. McClurg was invited to repeat the lecture. It gave such satisfaction. He was tendered a complimentary dinner at the Cosmos club.

POSTAL TREATY BETWEEN UNITED STATES AND CUBA

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 27.—The permanent postal treaty between the United States and Cuba is now in course of negotiation and probably will be in operation in a few weeks. The treaty is substantially the same as the one now in force between this country and Canada and practically continues the system in vogue between the Washington and Havana administrations since the American regime in Havana began.

UNION TELEPHONE GIRLS HAVE TROUBLE AT BUTTE

By Associated Press.

Butte, Mont., March 27.—The newly organized Bell telphone girls union is in trouble with the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company over the alleged importation of girls to supplant union operators. A committee of the union was in conference with President Dan McDonald of the American Federation today. The company disclaims any intention of discriminating against union employes.

NEW WITNESS FOR THE PENNELL INQUEST

By Associated Press.

New York, March 27.—Alexander J. Quinn, a bartender who it is said, heard Pennell threaten to kill Burdick, stated today that he had been summoned to appear on Monday at the inquest in Buffalo.

Quinn, who was employed as a bartender at the Hotel Roland when Mrs. Edwin L. Burdick stayed there, said today:

"Pennell visited the hotel while Mrs. Burdick was staying there, but I am not now at liberty to make a statement of what was said. The story, as it is told is not correct, however. He did not say anything about waiting until a week before the trial to kill Burdick."

"Did he say anything about killing Burdick?"

"That I must decline to answer now."

The proprietor of the Hotel Roland today said that Mrs. Burdick stayed there three days in December. He did not believe Pennell was there during the time. He declared that Mrs. Burdick received no visitors while she was there.

INVITATION DECLINED.

By Associated Press.

Victoria, B. C., March 27.—Mayor McCandles has received a dispatch from President Roosevelt declining an invitation to visit Victoria on his western tour.

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As an illustration of the good coming from such advice we herewith publish two letters and portrait of Miss Hattie DeGroat, the reading of which should give every sick woman confidence in Mrs. Pinkham's ability to help them. This is only one of thousands of the same kind of letters which Mrs. Pinkham has on file.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have read with interest your advice to others so much that I thought I would write to you, for I have been suffering for a long time. I have such bearing-down pains, and such shooting pains go through me. I have headache, backache, and feel tired. Menstruation is very painful, sometimes have to stop work and lie down. My stomach bloats terribly, and I am troubled with whites. Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain,—

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I can hardly find words to thank you for your advice and wonderful Vegetable Compound. I was in a terrible state, every part of my body ached, was very nervous, had hysterical spells. I think I would have become insane had it not been for **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.** Your letter told me just what to do and your medicine cured me, and I cannot express my thanks."

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FAMINE IN FINLAND RELIEVED BY COMMITTEE

By Associated Press.

St. Petersburg, March 27.—Dr. Julius N. Reuter, a lecturer of the University of Helsingford, who was detailed by the Finnish National Relief committee to make a tour of Finland, positively denies that his party either found or heard of any parish where there are 5,000 destitute persons, as has been stated. During the whole trip Dr. Reuter was only able to procure one bit of "hunger bread," which was composed of flour made from green grain mixed with bark, and even this had been preserved since the early part of the winter before the relief committee was able to extend its operations to cottages in out of the way places.

Dr. Reuter adds that of course there would have been untold suffering but for the assistance of the committee which was so largely helped by American funds. The committee has now branches in every village and parish [illegible] carefully attended to. [illegible] sufficient bread [illegible] while carefully avoiding [illegible] people more comfortable [illegible] payment of the help, whenever possible so as to avoid pauperizing the people.

As to the stories of deaths from famine, Dr. Reuter adds no such happenings have been reported anywhere.

COMET REPORTED.

By Associated Press.

Aden, Arabia, March [illegible] comet was observed at [illegible] day evening. It passed [illegible] across the heavens.

DEATH OF A MISSIONARY.

By Associated Press.

Springfield, Ill., March [illegible] A State Register special from Rochester states that Rev. T. R. Wright has received word from Shanghai announcing the death there of Mrs. Mary Wright Pease, a Methodist missionary.

SAN DOMINGO REVOLUTION LIMITED TO THE CAPITAL

By Associated Press.

New York, March [illegible] representative of the republic of San Domingo in this city [illegible] Governor of [illegible] the [illegible]

Revolution limited to capital. Nearly [illegible] of the island [illegible] with the government. President [illegible] with forces [illegible] in capital now. The northern part of the island [illegible] with the government.

DIVERS DEMAND INCREASE.

By Associated Press.

Cleveland, Ohio, March [illegible] divers employed on the lakes [illegible] strike to enforce their demand for higher wages and a recognition of their organization. The men have been getting from $[illegible] to $8 per day and now demand a flat rate of $10 per day. [illegible] The strike will delay the breakwater repairs, extensions and other harbor work.

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Amusements

"HUMAN HEARTS" AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

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"OUR NEW MINISTER."

Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer's new comedy-drama of New England life, entitled "Our New Minister," will be presented here for the first time at the Opera house Monday evening.

A new play by Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer is a matter of much theatrical importance because of the phenomenal success of their other product, "The Old Homestead." These authors have the valuable faculty to present nature truthfully. It is a gift to be able to do this, and not many have the faculty as they have it. "The Old Homestead," which, like so many other money winners, at first went begging for a production, has given Messrs. Thompson and Ryer a reputation and a fortune. To seek to duplicate this extraordinary success, by writing another play, was rather a hazardous undertaking. But with the catchy title of "Our New Minister," they have succeeded again. It is now in its second year, and has been a success from the start. It is evidently a wholesome play and ... to Colorado Springs with as ... and enthusiastic an indorsement ... the hands of the press as any play ... received. The types of characters which are portrayed in "Our New Minister" are by no means isolated ones, on the contrary, are such as are easily recognized as existing in any of the small, rural communities of New England. The cast is the original one, and enlists the services of such eminent players as John Terriss, Charles Stedman, John Barker, Henry R. Scott, Joseph Conyers, John P. Brawn, Grant Forrman, Ethel Brooke Ferguson, Phila May and Mrs. George Barnum.

FLORENCE ROBERTS IN "ZAZA."

The star attraction of the present season is the engagement of the distinguished actress, Florence Roberts, who appears in David Belasco's celebrated dramatization, "Zaza," at the Opera house next Wednesday. "Zaza" is the play with which David Belasco aroused the interest of the theater-going world, and since its first production it has been one of the most phenomenally successful attractions. In the title role, the unfortunate woman of vice, Miss Roberts, is the first to follow the famous originator in giving a new conception to the character, and her triumph, mood and characteristics accord with the highest artistic conception of the noted part. By this time Miss Roberts has achieved national reputation for her appreciation of the role of "Zaza," and is accorded the compliment by dramatic critics with equaling the original portrayal of the character. The scenic attractions and stage settings are of the most lavish order, and require two cars for transportation, while the company is said to be one of the most capable organizations that has ever appeared in the west. The tour is under the direction of Messrs. Shubert & Thall, the prominent theatrical firm, which is a guarantee that a brilliant and artistic presentation of the noted drama may be anticipated. Reserved seats can now be secured at regular prices. No advance.

LOCAL MASONS TO EXEMPLIFY DEGREE

The Scottish Rite Masons of the state will hold their twentieth semi-annual reunion in Denver April 7 to 9 inclusive. The exemplification of the ninth degree will be carried out by a Colorado Springs team composed of Dr. C. R. Arnold, W. Pitts, J. G. Dern, C. H. Jacobs, J. R. Alfree and John McCoach. Robert D. G. Vaw will be in charge of the degree team. It is expected that about 35 members of the order will attend the reunion from this city. There are upwards of 400 in the state and Colorado Masonry has about 75.

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DOLLER CLUB BANQUET

Last night the members of the University of Colorado Glee and Mandolin Clubs were given a reception in the auditorium of the new Y. M. C. A. building under the auspices of the association. It was the last time that has been arranged for the occasion the boys from ... have had be greeted by a large audience on their appearance in this city. PROGRAM in the ... that has been prepared with the permission of the two clubs:

PART ONE.

"Here's to Colorado" ..... Anon
Glee Club.
In a Clay Cornet ..... Kimball-Braxton
Mandolin Club.
Bugle Song ..... Marson
Glee Club.
Spanish Silhouettes ..... Pomeroy
Mandolin Club.
Winter Song ..... Bullard
Glee Club.
Banjo Solo—
(a) Sylvia, Intermezzo ..... Loraine
(b) La Czarina, Mazurka ..... Russe-Danne
F. M. Planque.
Creole Love Song ..... Smith
Glee Club.

PART TWO.

The Cavalrymen ..... Ashton
Mandolin Club.
"Gas" ..... Camp
Glee Club.
My Angel (Valse Lente) ..... Haakman
Mandolin Club.
Plantation Melodies—
Messrs. Argall, Jones, Chipman, Foote.
Banjo Solo—
(a) Miserere from Il Trovatore ..... Verdi
(b) Gypsy Rondo ..... Haydn
"All Hail to Thee" ..... Wilhelm
(Words by F. H. Argall, '03.)
Glee Club.

The glee club is under the leadership of Mr. B. Chapman, and the members of the club are F. H. Argall, H. Bullock, C. T. Van Sant, C. T. Bauer, W. W. Jones, H. V. Johnson, A. G. Hoskins, B. Chipman, N. D. McKenzie, G. Bruner, G. Avery, T. P. Foote and S. J. Fease.

The mandolin club is composed of T. J. West, leader; J. Weinberger, S. J. Lemme, C. T. Van Sant, H. L. Flanders, C. B. Wiley, H. H. Heaton, W. W. Robbins, A. J. Forbes, J. D. Shingle, A. G. Hoskins, F. D. Needles and F. M. Planque.

DANA G. CURTIS DIES OUT IN CALIFORNIA

News has reached this city of the death of Dana G. Curtis, formerly of this city, at Long Beach, California, last Sunday. Mr. Curtis was formerly in the real estate business here and was a resident of Colorado Springs for about 15 years. The deceased moved to California about a year and a half ago with his brothers, M. P. and J. P. Curtis, who were also living in this city. The deceased was about 30 years old and leaves a wife. Death was caused by heart failure brought on by an attack of typhoid fever. Interment of the remains was made in Pasadena, California.

SECRETARY WRAY LEAVES ON TRIP TO CALIFORNIA

Henry Russell Wray, secretary of the chamber of commerce, left yesterday morning over the Denver & Rio Grande for California. He intends to investigate the methods of the different commercial organizations of the cities of the Pacific coast in reference to the handling of the tourist traffic. Upon his return he will have a great deal of information and will give a full report of his trip to the local institution.

NIP IT IN THE BUD.

First Appearance of Dandruff a Forerunner of Future Baldness.

That such is the case has been conclusively proven by scientific research. Prof. Unna, the noted European skin specialist, declares that dandruff is the burrowed-up cuticle of the scalp, caused by parasites destroying the vitality in the hair bulb. The hair becomes lifeless, and, in time, falls out. This can be prevented.

Newbro's Herpicide kills this dandruff germ, and restores the hair to its natural softness and abundance.

Herpicide is now used by thousands of people—all satisfied that it is the most wonderful hair preparation on the market today. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

SUNDAY EXCURSION, VIA THE SHORT LINE CRIPPLE CREEK AND RETURN.

Train will leave D. & R. G. station, Colorado Springs, at 10:35 a. m., Sunday, March 29. Round trip fare $3.00. Limit date of sale.

THE FAST TRAINS TO CHICAGO.

New York Central's Express Service Added To.

George H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent of the New York Central Road, talking yesterday of the company's fast train service, said that in addition to the new 20-hour train, there are now four 24-hour trains to Chicago, and two Empire State express daily.

The Twentieth Century Limited, 20-hour train, leaves New York every day at 2:45 p. m., and arrives at Chicago the next morning at 9:45. The Lake Shore Limited leaves New York at 5:30 every afternoon, arriving in Chicago the next afternoon at 4:30. The Fast Mail, a fine 24-hour train, leaves New York at 9:45 a. m. every day reaching Chicago the next morning at 7:50, by both the Lake Shore and the Michigan Central. The noonday Chicago Limited leaves New York at 1 p. m., reaching Chicago by the Lake Shore the next morning at 11:30, a 24-hour train, really 23 hours and 50 minutes. The Detroit and Chicago Limited leaves New York at 4 p. m., reaching Chicago the next afternoon, a fourth 24-hour train.—(From the New York Times.

Note.—The New York Central also has 15 trains a day between New York and Buffalo and Niagara Falls; five trains a day between New York and St. Louis and Cincinnati; four trains a day between New York and Montreal and by its Boston and Albany Division four trains a day between New York and Boston via Springfield.

YOUNG LADIES AUXILIARY ADOPTS A CONSTITUTION

The Young Ladies auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. held an adjourned meeting yesterday afternoon in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. Mrs. W. E. Fryhofer, the counselor, occupied the chair. The constitution and by-laws outlined at the last meeting were adopted.

Miss ... Robertson was made the treasurer and it was voted to keep the charter membership list open until the next meeting. It was decided also, to hold the meetings of the auxiliary the second and fourth evening of the month at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. building.

It was announced that souvenir badges which are to be on sale during opening week at 10 cents each, would be placed in the hands of the young ladies and they were requested to be present at the reception and attend to the badges.

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WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—Men and women to learn the barber trade; eight weeks completes; positions guaranteed; tools furnished; tuitions earned while learning; opportunity to earn board; write for particulars. MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, Denver, Colo., Dallas, Texas, or Salt Lake City, Utah.

WANTED—At once. Ladies who are willing to make $3.00 to $5.00 a day introducing Miss McIntyre's Colorado Toilet preparations. Call Miss McIntyre, 16 E. Kiowa.

ATTEND the Western Normal and Commercial school for bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting or review work; 408½ South Tejon.

WANTED—500 people to buy all kinds of unredeemed watches, diamond rings and musical instruments. Myers Loan office, 22 East Huerfano.

WANTED—Experienced sales lady, must have good references as to ability, etc.; familiar with jewelry preferred; B., 131 Gazette.

WANTED—Union carpenters and painters to exchange work for lots. Hastings Realty and Building Co., 22 N. Tejon St.

WANTED—You to know that we can get you a position if you take a course at Henager's Business College.

WANTED—Competent girl, general house work. German or Irish preferred. 318 East Cache la Poudre.

WANTED—Good solicitor for Colorado Springs. Liberal commission. The Liquidar Co., Pueblo, Colo.

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework. References required. Apply 829 N. Weber.

LATEST patterns in suitings, trouserings, foreign and domestic. A. M. MacKenzie, 22 East Bijou.

WANTED—Ladies to canvass city. Excellent salaries. Miss McIntyre, 16 E. Kiowa.

HELP FURNISHED FREE. Orders filled promptly. National Employment. Phone 677-B.

WANTED—Girl, must be good cook and come well recommended; 1806 N. Tejon.

WANTED—Woman between 35 and 50 to do cooking. Inquire at 26 E. Tejon.

DOMESTIC and hotel bureau, Mrs. Farrar, De Graff Bldg. Phone 848-A.

WANTED—Dining room girl. Cucharas house.

WANTED—SITUATION.

MAN AND WIFE desire position in some western institution. Are 37 and 35 years old, respectively. At present at head of institution for truant boys in the east. Over eight years experience. References. Present board of managers of school. Particulars by addressing Box U., T. S., care Gazette office.

WANTED—You to know that Henager's Business college is the place to learn shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping, etc.

WANTED—Situation by experienced lady stenographer, $45 monthly. Good references. R., 184, Gazette.

WOMAN to nurse and help in housework for small family; references required; 733 North Tejon.

WOMAN wants work by the day. 318 S. Nevada.

Woman wants work. Rear 8 E. Vermijo.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

IF YOU WANT a snap in a line of cheap piece of furniture attend the bankrupt sale, 112½ East Huerfano street.

WANTED—$500 on good real estate. Address P. A. Hoebel, 400 block North Seventh street, West side.

SADDLE or driving horses and single harness. Columbia stables, rear 1423 N. Nevada.

WANTED—To buy a good driving and saddle pony; 2029 N. Nevada.

WANTED—HOUSES & ROOMS.

FIVE-ROOM house, East side, cottage preferred, with modern conveniences. State terms. A. McDonald, 106 E. Garfield.

TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

THREE large rooms, ground floor; newly papered, nicely furnished, including piano; complete for housekeeping. $16 per month. 703 E. Huerfano, near Santa Fe depot.

FOR RENT—Four nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; range, hot and cold water; 34 W. Bijou St.

TO RENT—Six-room, modern house, well furnished. $25. Call 317 N. El Paso.

TO RENT—Modern four-room cottage, location north. Apply 422 N. Corona.

TO RENT—8-room house, furnished, gas and bath. Apply 618 North Tejon.

SUNNY, modern 4-room flat; lights furnished. $18. 2016 N. Tejon.

SIX rooms, barn, buggy shed, $22. 1603 Lincoln avenue.

FOUR-ROOM furnished house. Inquire 337 North Wahsatch.

3-ROOM cottage. 1607 Washington ave.

BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR SALE—A well-established and well-located real estate, gas and insurance business. The gas will bear investigation. Party has other business and is leaving the city. Address, O., 188, Gazette office.

WHOLESALE candy business. Splendid location. Established trade. Cheap rent. Takes about $1,000 to handle. Parties must leave at once. 1424 S. Cascade.

A BUYER for less at $2000; best dining house, furnished, now paying; elegant location, rent a snap; address B 178 Gazette.

FOR SALE—Well-paying grocery store; particulars of Shields-Morley, Colorado Springs.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A BARGAIN? Why not let me show you a neat four-room house I have on the West side. Quite a little ways out, still it's only two blocks from car line, first-class neighborhood. It is a corner lot. The house is nicely furnished; has good cellar and electric lights, and it is neat and clean. I will sell you this property at a bargain.
E. G. SHAFER,
Rooms 20, 21, Cheyenne Bldg.

FOR SALE at a sacrifice—A new 7-room, modern house, on east side, near car line; full lot; investigate. Will sell on easy terms.
J. W. FOLEY,
104 East Pike's Peak.

FOR SALE
Five rooms, bath, furnace, electric lights, sewer connection. Monthly payments of $25.00.
7 rooms and 3 rooms, same conveniences, $30.00 monthly. No other cash payment required.
CHAS. F. BENNETT,
3 Pike's Peak Ave.

A WEST SIDE PROPERTY of five rooms and bath, cellar, large lot, fenced, near car line and school. We will sell this desirable home for a payment down of $150 and monthly installments of $23 each. Hastings Realty and Building Co., 22 N. Tejon St.

TO TRADE.
Clear, vacant lots, close in, for a well-located income property.
ADAMS & WILLIAMS,
113 North Tejon St.

FOR SALE.
Some elegant North End properties from $2,750 up.
E. G. SHAFER,
Rooms 20-21 Cheyenne Bldg.

EDUCATIONAL.

MRS. ELEANOR STEPHENS PECKHAM, teacher of the celebrated Emerson system of physical culture, voice building and expression; special attention to throat troubles and Shakespearean studies. 720 No. Nevada. Entertainments given.

STUDIO—Annabelle Hutchinson-Parrish. Miniatures, novelties for prizes, china and tapestry painting. Visitors day or evening; 111 San Miguel.

TO RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

TO RENT—Four rooms, newly papered, $8.00. 608 E. St. Vrain.

TO TRADE.

TO TRADE—New four-room, modern house for lots or other good city equity. Harden, 32 Exchange Bank block.

WANTED TO TRADE—Good lot and barn for light coming team; Hubbard, 317 Mining Exchange building.

BOARD AND ROOMS

PLEASANT newly furnished rooms in strictly modern house, conveniently located, with board; very reasonable; 137 Washington Ave.

UNDER new management; sunny room; first-class table board and service. Mrs. Hamilton, 18 Boulder Crescent.

MODERN, well furnished room with board, $5.00 and up. 207 N. Wahsatch.

SUNNY south room with table board. Private family. 825 North Weber.

CHOICE room, with board, 702 N. Cascade.

BOARD and room, 318 North Tejon.

ROOM and board, 428 North Weber.

ROOMS and board, 715 N. Nevada.

MISS WOMACK—432 N. Nevada.

FOR SALE—HORSES, BICYCLES

FOR SALE—Bay horse, also suitable for surrey or runabout; kind and gentle; any person can drive; owner going east. Apply Sam Rufael Stables.

FOR SALE—A bay gelding, 15 hands high, very pleasant driver; harness and runabout wagon. Inquire 34 stables of 1206 North Cascade avenue.

FOR SALE—Family horse and rubber-tired phaeton; John Hill, rear 211 N. Cascade; Phone 814A.

MISCELLANEOUS

WATCH cleaning, 75c; main spring, 75c; guaranteed for two years; eyes tested free. M. Kentworth, 124½ E. Huerfano.

SAVE FIVE CENTS PER HUNDRED. DELIVER YOUR OWN FEED. Crane's Feed Store. 5 E. Cucharas.

FOR RENT—Good storage; John Hill, rear 211 N. Cascade; Phone 814-A.

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E. E. CONWAY, D. O.
Graduates Still college. El Paso Bank Blk. Examination free. Phone Main 433-B.

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THE furniture of eight rooms, arranged in three suits for housekeeping. All full, close in. Owner leaving city. House modern. Address Q., 151, Gazette.

NEAT furnished 3-room house furniture for sale; rents $10 a month; a snap. For sale by the owner. 508 N. Spruce St.

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FOR SALE—Odd pieces, second-hand furniture, very cheap. 418 East San Miguel.

FOR SALE—Furniture. 323 S. Nevada.

FURNITURE—At 124 S. Wahsatch.

FOR SALE—MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

TO RENT—Chickering piano, cheap to careful party. 1224 Colorado Ave.

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$3 CRIPPLE CREEK AND RETURN VIA COLORADO MIDLAND RY.
Sunday, March 29, 11 a. m. train; good date of sale for returning.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Typewriters and supplies of every kind. Typewriters bought, sold, cleaned and repaired. Local dealers for REMINGTON STANDARD TYPEWRITERS.
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22 N. Tejon St. Tel. 702-A.

SHADE TREES—Colorado grown, different varieties, five to 10 feet high, for sale in any quantity, at specially low prices as ground must be cleared this season. Also fruit trees of all kinds. Write DeVeese & Turnbull, Canon City, Colorado.

FOR SALE.
100 good grade cattle. 7 brood mares 8 to 8 years old, weight 1,200 to 1,400 lbs. Also good mountain ranch. A. H. Hadley, 519 E. Boulder, Colorado Springs, Colo.

FOR SALE—2,000 shares Clear Creek and Gilpin M. M., P. L. D. and T. Co. stock; price right. W. S. Warner, Rapid City, South Dakota.

SPRING MEDICINES.
BLOOD PURIFIERS.
SASSAFRAS BARK, 25c per pound. Harrison's Drug Store, 322 N. Tejon St.

FOR SALE—First-class, large, under-cut surrey, suitable for tourist carriage, cheap and on easy terms. Adams, 113 N. Tejon St.

FOR SALE—Complete chemistry course in International Correspondence School for $30. Address, S., 165, Gazette.

PEDIGREED, well marked pointer pups for sale; apply 10 South Tejon street.

FOR SALE—Cheap. Set of (25 volumes) Encyclopedia Brittanica. 1104 E. High.

SEVERAL young Barred Rock roosters, cheap. 1603 Washington Ave.

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CURE THAT COLD right away. A BALSAM VAPOR BATH is the quickest and best remedy. ANTLERS TURKISH BATH, 14 E. Bijou.

FOUND.

FOUND—Small gold pin with name; describe and pay for this ad at Gazette office.

LOST.

LOST—Small fox terrier bitch, white, marked black on each side of head. Reward. 40 Boulder Crescent.

FOR SALE—MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

STEINWAY & SONS piano; fine tone, very cheap. Must be sold at once. Inquire at 6 E. Kiowa.

CLAIRVOYANT

MADAME BELL, Clairvoyant and Palmist. Satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Rooms 11 and 12, 26 S. Tejon.

MME. SAMPSON, clairvoyant; readings daily; meetings Tuesday and Sunday evening; Ad. 15; satisfaction guaranteed; 107 S. Nevada.

DRESSMAKING

WANTED—Sewing by the day by experienced seamstress; 136 S. Cascade.

LEGAL NOTICES

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of James E. Bailey, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of James E. Bailey, late of the County of El Paso, in the State of Colorado, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of said El Paso County, at the Court House in Colorado Springs, in said County, at the March Term, 1903, on the last Monday in April, next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated at Colorado Springs, Colo., this 13th day of February, A. D. 1903.
MARIA BAILEY,
Administratrix.
Hilliard Lee Kennedy, Attorney.
First publication, March 14, 1903.
Last publication, April 11, 1903.

DELAWARE MINING, MILLING AND PROSPECTING COMPANY.
Colorado Springs, Colo.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the above named company will be held at Room 49, Bank building, Colorado Springs, on Tuesday, April 21, 1903, for the election of officers, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
M. S. BEACH,
President.
MRS. J. T. VOSS,
Secretary pro tem.
Treasurer.
Dated March 23, 1903.

NOTICE
The annual meeting of stockholders of The Colorado Fishery and Land Company to elect directors and transact such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the principal office of the company in Colorado Springs, Colo., on the first Monday in April, 1903, at 12:30 p. m.
C. F. GOUSHALL,
Secretary.

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MONEY to loan on diamonds, watches, jewelry, clothing and on all valuables at Myers Loan office, 22 E. Huerfano St. The only licensed loan office in the city. Phone 660-A.

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TO LOAN—MONEY ON REAL ESTATE at lowest rates; no delay. WILLIAMSON, 27 North Tejon. Telephone 478 A.

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Lends money on very easy weekly payments. 406 De Graff Bldg.

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Also cheap rates to other northwestern points.
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$25.00 to San Francisco, Los Angeles.
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$22.50 to Spokane, Nampa, Weiser.
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For full particulars and tickets call at 16 N. Tejon street, Rio Grande R. R. office.

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By using Santa Fe trains. Convenient pocket card showing train all at city office.
Look up the Santa Fe trains to Denver and Pueblo. Good trains and convenient hours.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

DENVER & RIO GRANDE R. R.
FOR DENVER AND ...
Lv. Colo. Spgs. Arr. Denver.
No. 16 ..... 6:00 a. m. 8:[illegible] a. m.
No. 8 ..... 8:00 a. m. 9:[illegible] a. m.
No. 2 ..... 9:15 a. m. 1:[illegible] p. m.
No. 4 ..... 10:55 a. m. 1:[illegible] p. m.
No. 6 ..... 1:20 p. m. [illegible] p. m.
No. 10 ..... 3:35 p. m. 5:[illegible] p. m.
No. 14 ..... 6:05 p. m. 8:[illegible] p. m.

FROM DENVER FOR COLORADO SPRINGS.
Lv. Denver. Arr. Colo. Spgs.
No. 9 ..... 9:00 a. m. 12:[illegible] p. m.
No. 1 ..... 9:15 a. m. 1:[illegible] p. m.
No. 3 ..... 1:10 p. m. 4:[illegible] p. m.
No. 5 ..... 4:00 p. m. 6:15 p. m.
No. 11 ..... 6:00 p. m. 7:00 p. m.
No. 13 ..... 8:00 p. m. 10:[illegible] p. m.
No. 15 ..... 9:00 p. m. 12:00 a. m.

MANITOU TRAINS.
Lv. Colo. Springs. Arr. Manitou.
No. 1 ..... 8:00 a. m. No. 2 ..... [illegible] a. m.
No. 43 ..... 12:05 p. m. No. 44 ..... 12:[illegible] p. m.
No. 45 ..... 6:10 p. m. No. 46 ..... [illegible] p. m.
City Ticket Office, No. 16 N. Tejon St.
J. M. Wilson, G. A.

RIO GRANDE TRAINS
FOR DENVER AND EAST.
No. 16—Leave Colorado Springs 4:00 a. m. (Sleeper, chair car, coaches.) Arr. Denver 7:15 a. m.
No. 6—Leave Colorado Springs 7:00 a. m. (Sleeper and chair car, coaches, dining car.) Arrive Denver 9:30 a. m.
No. 12—Leave Colorado Springs 9:15 a. m. (Sleeper and chair car, coaches.) Arrive Denver 11:35 a. m.
No. 8—Leave Colorado Springs 10:00 a. m. (Observation car and coaches.) Arrive Denver 12:40 noon.
No. 2—Leave Colorado Springs 1:20 p. m. (Sleeper, chair car, coaches, dining car.) Arrive Denver 3:40 p. m.
No. 10—Leave Colorado Springs 3:30 p. m. (Chair car and coaches.) Arrive Denver 6:00 p. m.
No. 4—Leave Colorado Springs 6:01 p. m. (Sleeper, chair car, coaches, dining car.) Arrive Denver 9:15 p. m.
Through sleeper to Chicago on Trains 2 and 4, without change.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM.
LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.
No. 8—Vestibuled Limited for Chicago and St. Louis, via Kansas City, St. Joe and Omaha ..... 3:00 pm
No. 10—Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis ..... 1:00 pm
No. 6—Limited to Pueblo ..... 7:00 am
No. 42—Rocky Mountain Limited leaves ..... 1:00 pm
ARRIVE COLORADO SPRINGS.
No. 41—Rocky Mountain Limited to Chicago via Omaha, arrives ..... 9:00 pm
No. 5—Vestibuled Limited from Chicago ..... 7:05 am
No. 9—Fast Express, from Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis ..... 10:30 am
Rocky Mountain Limited 27 hours to Chicago. Only one night out.
Through sleepers and chair cars on all trains. Dining cars for all meals.
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"THE COLORADO ROAD."
The Colorado and Southern Railway.
Depot—East Pike's Peak Ave. (Union Passenger Station.)
No. North Bound.
7—For Denver and Central City ..... 8:00 am
5—For Denver, Boulder and East ..... 8:[illegible] am
1—For Denver, Chicago, St. L. ..... [illegible] pm
15—For Denver, via Manitou Jct. ..... 6:[illegible] am
[illegible]—For Denver and East ..... 10:45 am
[illegible]—For Denver ..... 3:[illegible] pm
—For Denver Chicago, St. Louis and East ..... 6:40 pm
South Bound.
[illegible]—For Pueblo ..... 8:[illegible] am
4—For Pueblo ..... 11:[illegible] am
3—For Pueblo, Trinidad and Texas ..... 2:30 pm
[illegible]—For Pueblo and East ..... 6:35 pm
6—For Pueblo and Chicago ..... 10:30 pm
16—From Denver, via Manitou Junction (arrives) ..... 6:00 pm
8—For Pueblo, Trinidad, Ft. Worth and the south ..... 12:05 am
J. H. Springer,
Commercial Agent.
Phone 31. 15 North Tejon.

PEORIA & CRIPPLE CREEK RAILROAD
(And Associated Roads.)
VIA D. & R. G. & R. G. R.
Leave Denver ..... 9:15 am 8:30 pm
Leave Colo. Springs ..... 12:00 m 12:00 am
Leave Pueblo ..... 1:55 pm 3:35 am
Leave Florence ..... [illegible] pm
Leave Canon City ..... 5:15 am
Arrive Victor ..... 4:38 pm 9:25 am
Arrive Cripple Creek ..... 5:30 pm 9:50 am
Leave Cripple Creek ..... 10:45 am 7:30 pm
Leave Victor ..... 10:[illegible] am 8:00 pm
Arrive Canon City ..... 10:15 pm
Arrive Florence ..... 1:10 pm
Arrive Pueblo ..... 1:[illegible] pm 2:40 am
Arrive Colo. Springs ..... 2:22 pm 4:18 am
Arrive Denver ..... 6:00 pm 7:15 am

MIDLAND TERMINAL RAILWAY
TIME TABLE.
No. 9—Cripple Creek Mail, leaves Colorado Springs 11 a. m.; arrives Cripple Creek 1:45 p. m.
No. 11—Cripple Creek Flyer, leaves Colorado Springs 6:30 p. m.; arrives Cripple Creek 8:15 p. m.
No. 8—Colorado Springs Express, leaves Cripple Creek 8 a. m.; arrives Colorado Springs 10:45 a. m.
No. 12—Denver Express, leaves Cripple Creek 3:30 p. m.; arrives Colorado Springs 6:20 p. m.

COLORADO SPRINGS & CRIPPLE CREEK DISTRICT RAILWAY.
(The Short Line.)
WEST BOUND
DAILY.
No. 6—Lv. Colorado Springs ..... 10:37 am
Ar. Cripple Creek ..... 1:20 pm
No. 7—Lv. Colorado Springs ..... 6:30 pm
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W. [illegible] ... [illegible]

WILL [illegible]—A [illegible] of the P. E. O. [illegible] will be [illegible] this afternoon at [illegible] at the home of [illegible]

MARRIED—A marriage license was issued yesterday to Janies O. Shock and [illegible] C. [illegible] both of this city. The groom was 26 years of age and the bride 16.

PATRIARCH [illegible]—The regular [illegible] of [illegible] Militant of [illegible] will be held this evening and all [illegible] of the canton are requested to be present.

WILL OCCUPY PULPIT—Rev. H. E. Warner, D. D., of Denver, will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church tomorrow. Rev. Mr. Warner was formerly pastor of the church here.

CANTON COLUMBIN [illegible] Canton Columbine will meet in regular session this evening in the banquet room of the I. O. O. F. hall. Important business will be transacted and a full attendance is desired.

PRIMARY UNION—The members of the Primary union will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Christian church [illegible] will be welcome. No normal lesson will be given this week.

MECHANIC'S LIEN—The Newton Lumber company brought suit against John L. [illegible] yesterday in the sum of $162.66, alleged to be due them for materials furnished in the erection of a building.

OSBORNE SPOKE—Osborne, the blind orator of Denver, spoke last evening at 7.30 o'clock at the corner of Sherman and Pine streets to a large crowd. He spoke on "The Principles of the Socialist Party."

SUIT ON NOTE—Clare L. Patterson brought suit yesterday against Edward T. Sabine for the collection of a promissory note for $2,728.61. The judgment, if obtained, will be preliminary to the foreclosure of a mortgage.

MEN'S MEETING—President W. F. Slocum of Colorado college, will address the young men of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday in their regular Sunday afternoon meeting. The Baptist octet will sing during the meeting.

NEW PENSION LAW—Notice of the passage of the new pension laws by congress has been received by Gen. L. E. Sherman of the local Grand Army post. The new law will allow many of the local Grand Army men to receive an increase in their pensions.

CORNERSTONE LAYING—Preparations are being made to lay the cornerstone of the new girls dormitory at Colorado college next week. The date for this event will be decided upon today by President Slocum. Dr. Slocum said last night that next Thursday would probably be selected.

ACCIDENT—F. H. STORY, a plumber, was slightly injured yesterday morning by being struck by a street car on North Tejon street. Story, it is said, attempted to drive his horse attached to a light wagon across the street in front of an approaching car. The horse or wagon was not damaged.

PRESENTATION—The members of Colorado Springs post, No. 22, G. A. R., and the Woman's Relief corps will present the new Young Men's Christian association building with a large American flag. The gift will be formally presented to the association Monday evening at the opening exercises by Post Commander Lo C. Dana.

An Epidemic of the Grip.

"There has been a great epidemic of the grip in this vicinity for the past two months," says W. D. Wilcox of Logan, N. Y. "All of my customers that I could induce to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy were cured without the aid of a doctor, only two employed a doctor and they did not use this remedy. They could have saved money by using it." Money is not all that this remedy saves. It saves health and sometimes life. Every cold or attack of the grip weakens the system, lowers the vitality and paves the way for more serious diseases. Make a friend of this remedy and it will save you health and wealth. For sale by all druggists.

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Drop stitch grey oxford mixtures, New ponges and linen shades in lace lisle

Grey and mode, all lace lisle hose, Silk embroidered drop stitch black lisle hose

For Men

19c Pair [illegible] quality black [illegible] half hose that are [illegible] A snap at 19c.

25c Pair Lacey striped black, pongee and linen shades half hose, with silk embroidered dots.

Black lisle half hose, with hemstitched effect, vertical stripes. Mode and grey fancy lace lisle half hose.

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Lace stripe black lisle half hose, with silk embroidered dots

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SERGE: Black, navy or red, an extra heavy [illegible] 50-inch, at $1.00.

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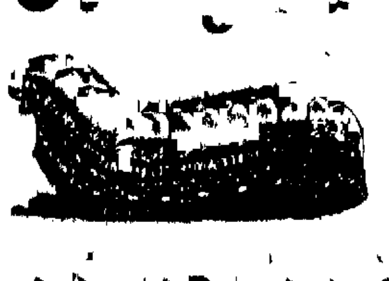

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Best Veal Roast	5c and 2[illegible]c
Mutton Stew	5c
Mutton Shoulder	[illegible]c

VEGETABLES

Fancy Utah Potatoes, per cwt	$1.10
Fancy Canon City Onions, per cwt	$1.25
15 lbs Fancy Canon City Onions	25c
10 lbs Fancy Parsnips	25c
10 lbs Fancy Beets	25c
10 lbs Fancy Carrots	25c
10 lbs Fancy Turnips	25c
8 lbs Fancy Rutabagas	25c
10 lbs Hard Head Cabbage	25c

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State Eggs, per dozen	15c
Ranch Eggs, per dozen	20c
City Eggs, all laid yesterday	25c

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Salmon Steak	17½c
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3-lb Pail Pure Colorado Lard	40c
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10-lb Pail Pure Colorado Lard	$1.25
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MRS. BENJ. PERRY,
North Aurelius, Mich.—A Life Saved When Doctors Had Given Her Up.

While headaches are varied in character and are produced by a variety of causes, the majority of victims suffer from nervous or bilious headache. When neglected, either form will quickly cause misery, suffering and will assuredly prostrate the system. Nervous headache, to which women are specially subject, arise from weak and inflamed nerves, heavy and dull brain, poor circulation and debility. Bilious headaches are usually accompanied by sickness and vomiting. They result from inactive liver, digestive disturbances or bile and constipated bowels.

In the springtime, able and experienced physicians urge upon those who are subject to headaches, the use of Paine's Celery Compound. In tens of thousands of cases this wonderful remedy has produced happy and permanent results after all other modes of treatment failed. Unlike other medicines claiming popular attention, Paine's Celery Compound gives prompt and effective results. It gives to weak and sick people an immediate supply of nerve force, with pure blood, active liver and perfect digestive vigor. The work of Paine's Celery Compound is not a simple relieving of pain; it effectually reaches the root and cause of disease and permanently banishes the trouble. Mrs. Darley, Franklin, Ill., says:—

"After trying in vain several remedies for headache, I began using Paine's Celery Compound. This great medicine not only cured me, but it built up my system and made me feel like a new woman. It is the only medicine we keep in the house."

Mrs. Benjamin Perry of North Aurelius, Mich., says:—

"Paine's Celery Compound is the best medicine on earth. Three years ago I was taken with inflammation of the bladder and nervous prostration, and was very sick, under the doctor's care, and they all thought I could not live.

"I was so sick I could not help myself, and hardly sat up long enough to have my bed made; but I heard of Paine's Celery Compound and commenced taking it, and I can say today that it has helped me so much that I am doing my own work, something I never expected to do. I do not think I would be alive today if it had not been for the use of Paine's Celery Compound."

COL. SWEENEY SAYS MILITIAMEN MAY RECEIVE PAY TODAY

Col. W. H. Sweeney, inspector general and paymaster of the Colorado National guard, accompanied by Sherman Bell, was in the city yesterday. He stated that in all probability the members of companies D and I would receive their pay today. The military board met in Denver yesterday, and it is expected that the money due the troops from the state for services at Colorado City will be forthcoming today. Over $1,300 is due each of the Colorado Springs companies.

B. F. WARFEL DEAD.

By Associated Press.

Marshalltown, Iowa, March 27.—Benjamin F. Warfel, for eight years adjutant of the Soldiers home of Iowa, is dead. He was sergeant major of the 38th Iowa regiment in the civil war.

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ADOPTING THE RE... OF WITNESSES ... WORK

(Continued From Page 1.)

...ror. If the wage scale was drafted the ... He did not ... was asked, and ... not at was attorney Babbitt's ... of how much, in the ... the ... mill's pay roll per day or ... an employe of ... for ... year prior to the strike, ... he had received $1.96 per day of ... as a shift boss man. He ... it did with the ... saying he ... able to support himself and wife. He had every reason to believe, he said that he had been discharged from the Standard three weeks before the strike was declared because he had joined the Millmen's union. No complaint had been lodged against his work.

H. Doume, who worked in the barrel house, stated he was receiving $1.80 a day but it was necessary for him on an average to buy each month three suits of overalls, four pairs of gloves and two pairs of shoes, due to the destructive effect of the acids used. The overalls and jumper cost $2.75 a suit, the gloves 75 cents a pair and the shoes from 80 cents to $1 per pair. In addition he said 5 cents a day was taken out of his wages by the company for insurance.

John Flickler Was Used.

John Flickler, 58 years old, a widower with three children, had been in the employ of the Standard for two years. For the month of October last his household expenses amounted to: Groceries, $17.18; meats, $4.40; milk, $2; taxes, 57 cents; water rent, 83 cents; payment on his property, which he was endeavoring to buy, $14.30; life insurance, $2.48; coal, $3; doctor bill, for setting his little boy's arm, $5; church expenses, 85 cents; papers, 45 cents; shoes, $1; clothing, $2; street car fare, 20 cents; drugs, $1; household goods, $1.25; total, $55.85.

This was an average month, he said, and he had drawn $52.50 from the mill, after working every day. He was asked what kind of meat he bought, and replied: "Usually the cheapest kind of boiling meat, but about three times a month we give ourselves a breakfast of shoulder steak. I use neither liquor nor tobacco, shave myself and cut my own hair. My children sometimes have to leave school for a week or two to earn themselves a pair of shoes."

D. S. Kendall, whose testimony developed nothing new was the last witness on the stand at 1 o'clock, when adjournment was taken for lunch. At 2 o'clock the board again resumed the taking of testimony. Thomas Lovell, head barrel man was called to the stand.

Lovell admitted he carried firearms during the strike. Attorney Babbitt asked:

"Do you think it was a prudent thing for you to carry arms?"

"Men were being pounded up with rocks; I thought it a prudent thing to do."

"Did you apprehend violence to the others?"

"No, I didn't know what would happen."

John Brown was called. He had been in the employ of the Standard company three years. Attorney Murphy conducted the examination. The witness testified he was discharged on orders from the master mechanic. He asked if his work was satisfactory and was told it was.

"Did you endeavor to ascertain if your work was satisfactory?"

"I did; I went to see Mr. Hawkins, but was told he was busy and to come back."

"Were you a member of Mill and Smeltermen's union No. 125 at that time?"

"I was; I went in in October."

"What duties did you perform at the mill?"

"Machinist's helper. I received $2 a day."

The witness was not cross-examined.

Parson Uzzell in Denver.

Judge Hayt stated he should make the announcement that Parson Uzzell had been called to Denver and would not be present during the afternoon.

J. G. Kench was called. He stated he had been employed by the company on extra work and in the barrel house. He was ill during the time of his employment but did not go to see a physician.

"State if you had any difficulty in getting attention from the company physician?" said Attorney Murphy.

"No."

The witness said he had been out six days. He was told by the foreman that he was not entitled to any insurance as he, witness, had failed to notify the foreman at once. He had been injured and did not report as he did not think it was so serious that night. Next morning he found he could not go to work and sent his son to notify Foreman Johnson.

"Did it ever come to your knowledge that there was anyone endeavoring to cause men in the employ of the company to join this or any other union?"

"No, sir."

Mr. Babbitt—When did you receive your injury; what time of day?

"I couldn't say, exactly; it was in the afternoon."

"Isn't it true notices were and are posted in the mills telling the men how to proceed when injured or ill?"

"Yes, sir."

"Isn't it true that you did not proceed according to these notices?"

"Yes."

"Was there complaint among men about the insurance scheme?"

"It was unsatisfactory to the men."

"To you, or to the men?"

"It was unsatisfactory to me."

"Do you know if the men generally object to it?"

"I wouldn't say generally."

"Don't you know the company pays more out to the insurance company than it receives from the men in fees?"

"I don't know."

"If you had complied with the notices posted in the mills, don't you think you would have received insurance?"

"I probably would."

Witness stated he desired to make an explanation. He said he did not carry his glasses to the mill so he had not read the notices.

Member Frewen of the advisory board asked how much Kench paid for medical fee per month.

"$1.50."

As to Medical Treatment.

"Then you felt you were unquestionably entitled to medical treatment?"

"Yes, sir."

Judge Hayt asked what kind of order the witness desired.

"The physician told me to get an order from the foreman, that I was entitled to insurance."

"Did the order relate to medical attendance or insurance?"

"It related to insurance; it was distinctly so stated by the doctor."

"What kind of an order did you require?"

"An order on the company physician. I ... entitled to his services."

Asked to further explain just what kind of an order this was, witness said it had nothing to do with the ...

"This ... have testified ... that you were injured, ..." asked Mr. Frewen.

"I suppose so."

"This order that the foreman told you was not necessary was an order to the physician stating you were employed, was it not?" asked Mr. Babbitt.

"Yes."

"It was not necessary, was it, as a doctor had already attended you."

"Not at the first request. My family doctor was attending me."

Attorney Murphy—You wanted the order to show that you had not imposed upon the company, didn't you?

"Yes," replied the witness.

The testimony that followed, that of the city marshal of Colorado City was provocative of laughter several times and once Judge Hayt had to ask for better order.

Marshal Birdsall Examined.

George G. Birdsall, city marshal, was sworn. He testified he has held the office three years.

Attorney Murphy asked him what was the condition of the city during the strike.

"With the exception of one day, just as it is today."

"What is the condition today?"

"Very quiet."

"Comparing the number of disturbances occurring since February 14, the day of the strike, to any other period, what would you say as to the number of disturbances?"

"Just about the same."

Mr. Babbitt—Would you make the same statement in regard to the vicinity of Colorado City during this time?"

"To my own personal knowledge I couldn't answer that question, Mr. Babbitt."

Mr. Murphy asked Marshal Birdsall what has been the condition of sobriety since the strike. The reply was:

"There has been no drunkenness, with one or two exceptions; people come from the Springs and we can't help them from getting drunk here."

(Laughter was checked by Judge Hayt.)

"If there was no street car line between the two places, would you have very few cases of drunkenness?" asked Mr. Babbitt.

"Men in Colorado City have very little money to get drunk on," returned the marshal.

Mr. Frewen—This opens the question, how many saloons have you in Colorado City?"

"Seventeen."

"Does Colorado Springs support them all?"

"Colorado Springs has 25,000 population; Colorado City 3,000. We figure Colorado Springs supports them all right."

Judge Hayt—Do the coal miners coming in here create trouble?"

"We have trouble from all sources, from people up in society to those who aren't."

Continuing Judge Hayt asked about employes of the Standard mill and witness answered that many had been here as long as he had, seven years; they owned homes. There were not many living at boarding houses. Until the strike took place he did not see many young men on the streets. The single young men generally had relatives at Colorado City.

Martin Sholes Talks.

Martin Sholes was called.

To Attorney Murphy he stated he had been employed at the Standard mill and had lived in Colorado City two years. His work with the Standard terminated February 14. At that time he was not a member of the union.

"Did any officials of the company advise you not to join the union?"

"Yes, sir."

"We do not care about quoting the name of the official, but what was said?"

"This man said:

"Better let that union alone; a lot of men are out on the street tonight. Let it alone if you want to hold out where you are? I was told a man I saw was a spotter, doing the dirty work, reporting the names of those joining the union."

"Do you know whether that party was an officer of the union at the time?"

"I don't know. I think he was."

The witness said he had not observed anyone working around the mill endeavoring to make the men discontented. He had never known of anybody agitating dissatisfaction, or of anybody using undue influence with the men to quit.

Mr. Babbitt—Did you state how long you were connected with the company?

"I was there when the men quit."

"Why did you quit?"

"My work was over for the day, and I went home."

"Did you expect to go back?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do you object to stating who this official was that advised you not to join the union?"

"You could call him a foreman, but I would rather not mention his name."

He was asked by a member of the board if he had any objection to giving the name to the commission and replied that he had not.

Mr. Babbitt asked if witness had any grievance when he quit.

"No."

"How about your wages?"

"I thought we ought to get more for what we were doing."

J. H. Phelan Sworn.

J. H. Phelan's name was read out by Attorney Murphy. Phelan came forward to take the witness chair with grocery and other bills in his hand. He read from the bills that his grocery account for himself and wife had been $10.50 last June; $12.71 in July; $10.20 in August, which included shoes and working clothes that he found it necessary to procure; $11.58 in September; $10.65 in October; $12 in November; $11.70 in December; $13.15 in January. For meats he had paid $6.50 in June; $5.05 in July; $5.75 in August; $6.10 in September; $5.75 in October; $8.05 in November, and $5.10 in December. His milk bill for eight months averaged $1 a month. During this period $2.75 was paid for moving, $3.50 for a stove pipe, $5 for two hats, one for his wife and one for himself, and $1.75 for one pair of overalls and a jumper. His house rent he stated was $13 a month up to October, since when it has been $12 a month. His landlords were Mrs. L. A. Thomas and J. C. O'Brien. He occupied a four-room house. He had paid $4.80 for the Colorado Springs Gazette for eight months. In June he bought a ton of coal for $4.75 and a sack of kindling for 25 cents. September 23 he bought another ton for $4.75; November 20 got another for the same price, and in January purchased still another for $4.75.

Attorney Murphy asked:

"Coal is not less than $4.75 per ton is it?"

"That is the cheapest for domestic coal."

"And there are still higher prices?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"Yes."

Mr. Murphy continued the examination:

"Have you been able to save any money from your earnings?"

"I have not."

"Did you serve any time on picket duty?"

"Yes."

"What were your duties?"

"I went out to our guard tent, intercepted men coming to and from work and told them the situation and asked them to join us as we thought our cause a just one."

"You did nothing except argue with them?"

"I did not."

"Did you see any violence during your term of picket duty?"

"I did not."

"Did you hear anyone talking unionism at the works, or causing discontent?"

"No."

About Expenses.

Attorney Babbitt asked if he had made any list of average expenses by the day or month.

"No, but my average expenses would be $45 a month since I have been here."

Judge Hayt—You speak about expenses per month. Are all items included in these bills?

"Insurance, barber bills, and other small items are not included in the bills. My wife's clothing is not all included in the bill."

The witness explained that the pickets ...

...(?) a private path. Before the mill ... there were three tents holding ... When the militia came the ... were forced to take the tents in. The pickets did not get on the company's ground. They were not armed at any time during the strike.

C. Lyon, member of the executive committee of the Millmen's union was called. He stated he has resided in Colorado City since 1891. He was employed at the Standard mill receiving ... wages from $1.80 to $3.00 a day at various periods.

"How many men were receiving $3.00 per day?" asked Mr. Murphy.

"Three precipitating men, three electricians, the head blacksmith got $3.20. Besides that, I don't recall any other class of employes, with the possible exception of the head machinist."

Witness said he was not a member of the union up to the time of the strike.

"When you left the service of the company was it through the intimidation, violence or coercion of others?"

"No."

"Did anyone threaten you?"

"No."

"Did you witness any parties causing discontent among the men prior to the strike?"

"There has always been discontent about wages; nothing was agitated about unionizing. I sought membership in the union of my own volition. I have had men tell me they would quit could they see their way clear; they were heavily in debt, however."

Witness said he had worked in nearly all departments of the mill. He described in answer to Attorney Murphy's questions, the work in the precipitating department, how the gas permeates the air and the disagreeable features.

"As a member of the executive committee have you given orders to any of the men to use force or intimidation against employes of the company?"

"No. The instructions were merely to argue with the men, and ask them to join us."

Mr. Babbitt—Mr. Lyon, were those instructions always followed?

"To the best of my knowledge and belief they were."

Witness said he was working in the concentrating room when he quit, at $2 a day.

"When did you work in the precipitating room?" asked Mr. Babbitt.

"Off and on as assistant and helper."

"How long a period?"

"About a month."

"At what time?"

"About six months ago; off and on. I've never kept the time. I worked there when I was on the stand, pumps for a while. I've put in a month all in all."

"What was the last shift you worked on?"

"I can't recall the date."

"Was it on a Saturday or Sunday that you quit?"

"I quit on the 11 o'clock shift on the fourteenth of February."

"Did you intend to quit?"

"I didn't know anything about not going back to work the next day."

"Did you make any complaint to the company?"

"No."

"Why did you quit?"

"Because I believed in the rights of working men; I believed an injustice had been done to this union in the discharge of men."

Father Carrigan Examines.

Father Carrigan asked if Lyon was married. He replied yes and he had two children. He came to Colorado City from Crestone, Iowa, where he had lived five or six months. He had lived in Colorado since the seventies "off and on." He had spent the summers, going to Arizona, New Mexico, other places in the winter.

At the conclusion of Mr. Lyon's testimony a recess was taken for 10 minutes.

Richardson Testifies.

W. J. Richardson stated that he had been an employe for two years and had received $2 per day and had been injured in fixing a belt, and received $1 per day during the time he was laid up. Asked by Mr. Murphy as to whether he had saved any money, he said: "No, I am in the hole now." When asked by Mr. Babbitt as to why he was discharged he replied that he could not find out at the time. Mr. Babbitt then asked him if he hadn't been moved several times and if his work had not been unsatisfactory, and if he had not been discharged for incompetency. The witness replied that the shift boss had told him that he did not know why he was discharged, but that he would have to go to the superintendent to find out.

John Howe who had worked at the mill for five years, testified next. Mr. Howe exhibited a pair of torn overalls which, he said, were eaten by acids, and that a man could not take great care. In charging a barrel for it he did he would be overcome by the fumes and could not complete his work.

H. F. Smetzer, Charles Stewart, Chas. Blechammer, August Siebolm and P. E. Bachman were others who testified before the close of the session.

For Your Information.

New York, March 28, 1903.—P. J. Flynn, General Freight agent of the Lackawanna Railroad, has been appointed Freight Traffic Manager of the Lackawanna System while John H. Crawford, the General Eastern Freight Agent, will become General Freight Agent, and Nat. Duke, the General New England Agent, will become General Eastern Freight Agent. These appointments are effective April 1.

The changes are the outcome of the growth and development of the company's freight traffic.

Mr. Flynn has been with the Lackawanna Railroad three and one-half years. Prior to that time he was Chairman of the Colorado & Utah Traffic Association and is regarded as eminently fitted to assume direction of the Lackawanna's increasing Freight Traffic.

Mr. Crawford, who has also been with the Lackawanna about three years, was formerly Manager of the Lackawanna Fast Freight Line with headquarters in Chicago.

PUEBLO HOLD-UP SUSPECTS ARRESTED IN BOULDER

By Associated Press.

Denver, March 27.—Ross H. Brewer and Raleigh Davis were arrested at Boulder today by officers from Denver and Pueblo on the charge of being the men who killed two men while trying to hold up a restaurant in Pueblo some time ago. The men are said to have served time in the state reformatory and the officers claim that their photographs have been identified by persons who were in the restaurant at the time of the shooting.

HARRY CORBETT DECLINES TO ACT AS REFEREE

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, March 27.—Harry Corbett, who was the mutual choice of the managers of Young Corbett and Terry McGovern to act as the referee in their contest next Tuesday night, has declined the office.

The actions of the Illinois river may prevent the Western league season opening in Peoria. The river has overflowed its banks and the greater part of the Western league park is covered with water.

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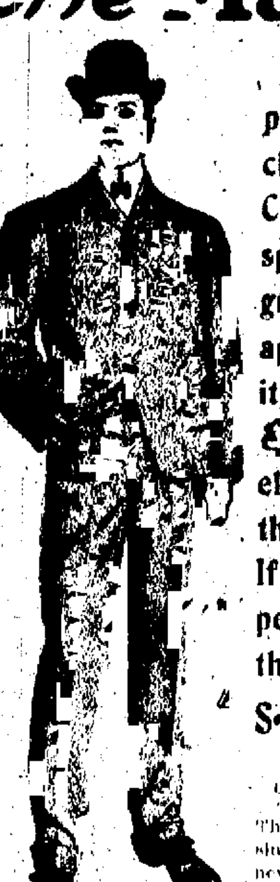

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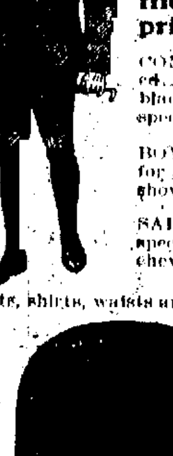

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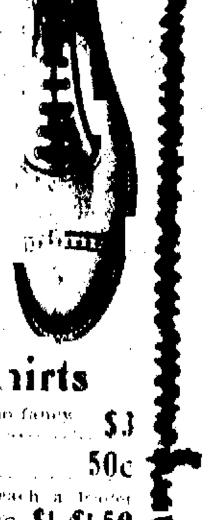

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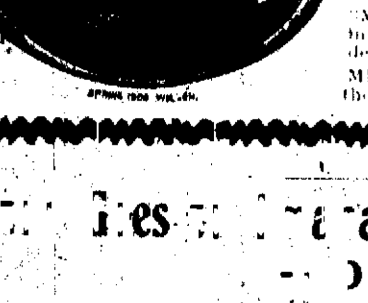

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... Preston ... Pay ... Release

Walter Preston, late of the Denver Grizzlies, will not play with Colorado Springs this season, but has been released to Omaha. Preston was given to Mr. Burns about two weeks ago, in exchange for Gaston, by D. C. Packard of the Denver team. He was slow in showing up for practice, however, and as the local magnate has all the outfield material he requires, he turned the player back to Packard, asking him to give Preston to either Kansas City or Omaha. The Denver owner called up Mr. Burns yesterday over the telephone and stated that he had decided to give the outfielder to the Packing House men, so the local fans will not see him here this season.

Everyone who knows Preston and his playing ... that he is a good outfielder and a good batter if he takes care of himself, but his record as a member of the Denver team was against him and Mr. Burns was determined to take no chances. With Congalton, Fleming, Conley and Swancina signed for the outfield, the local team is plentifully supplied with talent in that line.

... MILLIONAIRES ... TODAY

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the Colorado College Tigers and the Millionaires play their first practice game of the season at Boulevard park. The college team was given a hard work out last night by Coach Congalton and P. B. Stewart. The men were put through every thing from base-running to batting and catching grounders and are in fine form for today's game. Prior is now in shape and Solenberger is about recovered from his attack of rheumatism. Packard, the old college player, considers Solenberger as good as Vaughn of Golden. The Tigers are going to put forth their best efforts this afternoon and a good game is promised. The Millionaires have been getting in as much training as possible this week and today's game will test them for tomorrow's game with the Grizzlies.

YANGER GETS DECISION OVER HUGH M'PADDEN

By Associated Press.

Detroit, Mich., March 27.—Benny Yanger of Chicago, was given a well-merited decision by Referee Siler tonight over Hugh McPadden of Brooklyn, after 10 rounds of fighting in the Metropolitan Athletic club arena in Light Guard armory before 3,000 persons.

Yanger had clearly the better of every round after the first. Yanger was unmarked after the fight while McPadden's nose was bleeding freely and his body showed the effect of Yanger's punishment. McPadden was almost out several times and clinched repeatedly while Yanger forced the fighting throughout. From the first McPadden's stomach was Yanger's objective point and it was the blows he sent to this point that brought him the decision.

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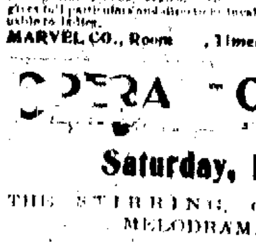

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